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## THE LOWELL SUN

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LOWELL MASS. MONDAY DECEMBER 4 1911

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## DETECTIVE BURNS



JOHN J. McNAMARA

JAMES B. McNAMARA

JUDGE BORDWELL ON THE BENCH  
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## Says That Pres. Gompers Knew the McNamaras Were Guilty

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, knew from the day McNamara was arrested that he was guilty," declared Detective William J. Burns here yesterday.

"When Mr. Gompers says he was surprised that the McNamaras had deceived him in declaring their innocence he tells what is not true," the detective continued with great emphasis. "Mr. Gompers knew that McNamara was guilty, and has known it all along. He knew it at the time he and the heads of the international unions whose headquarters are in Indianapolis conferred here on the question of raising funds to defend the prisoners. Some of the other men know he was guilty, too, and now they are trying to get away from it by saying they had been deceived."

"Mr. Gompers severely criticized me by charging me with trying the McNamara case in the newspapers. It is not my custom to give any of the details of the evidence I collect, and I would not have done so in the McNamara case had not Gompers accused

me of 'planting' the dynamite in Indianapolis. It is only fair to the defendants and to the district attorney who has charge of the case to keep the evidence in confidence, but I made a statement regarding it to the press that was sufficient to convince anyone that there was overwhelming evidence to show that the McNamaras were guilty."

"Still Gompers has accused me of planting the dynamite here, and now he says he has been deceived by the McNamaras. I believe that Gompers knew all the time that McNamara was guilty."

**Prepare for Prosecutions**

Mr. Burns yesterday conferred with Dist.-Atty. Charles W. Miller on matters that will, according to announcement, lead to the prosecution of persons alleged to be involved in Los Angeles dynamiting plots. Both Miller and Burns refused to divulge the nature of the interview further than to admit the McNamara case was the topic of discussion.

Although neither of the principals in the conference would admit it, it is believed that the information which the district attorney's office has not heretofore had was brought to Indianapolis by Mr. Burns. The detective visited during the day the home of the National Association of Manufacturers, where he met John Kirby, Jr., of Dayton, president of that organization.

"Did you give Mr. Miller any evidence in the McNamara case other than what he already had?" Mr. Burns was asked.

"Well, I would not like to say as to that; we talked of the McNamara case," Mr. Burns replied. "The government has taken up this case after a thorough investigation of it, and you know the federal authorities would not have gone into it unless there was strong likelihood of there being a serious investigation to be made."

**Dynamiters Imperilled Trains**

"The federal authorities have learned that the whole trains travelling over the United States have been in danger of being blown to eternity by the carrying of dynamite and nitroglycerine by these men—the two McNamaras and McManigal—and it was after learning of this that the department of justice decided to take it up."

Mr. Burns was questioned regarding a recent article in the Editorial Review written by Mr. Kirby.

"What would you say with reference to Mr. Kirby's article that if the trial at Los Angeles proceeded without the plea of the McNamaras, the evidence

workers. The cost of this campaign of terrorism was enormous, and it was systematically carried on. We assert that a number of men besides the McNamaras were concerned, and we propose to assist in every way in uncovering them. We shall lend every assistance to the federal authorities, and we have every assurance that the investigation will be most thorough."

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## POMANDER WALK

English Actors in Town  
For Tonight's Show

George Giddens and Lennox Pawle, the English comedians, and Misses Dorothy Parker, Cynthia Brooke, Maud Milton and Kate Phillips, four noted leading women of the English stage, arrived here at 12:07 p. m. today to participate in the performance of "Pomander Walk" at the Lowell Opera House tonight. When informed that Lowell was one of the leading cotton manufacturing centres in the world and was known as the Spindle City, Mr. Pawle remarked:

"Aw, how curious! I had no idea we were coming to a Yankee Manchester or Birmingham. I suppose you have a Pomander Walk or Street of Happiness here, too, but you must see ours really you must!"

"Oh, I know all about Lowell—the biggest city of its size in the United States," remarked George Giddens, who plays the eccentric old admiral in the play. "I've visited America many times. Like New England? Bless you, my boy, I never budged a foot out of it all last summer though the firm offered to pay my passage to England and back for the vacation holiday!"

As a whole, the "Pomander Walk" company of 25 people, all of whom arrived with the principals today, is said to be the most finished and the highest-salaried organization of London artists ever brought from the Old World to the New. Miss Dorothy Parker, the playwright's daughter, who plays a captivating French girl, is only one of four prominent leading women in the comedy. A large force of mechanics was busy this afternoon installing the massive "Pomander Walk" production on the Opera House stage. The setting consists of thousands of parts of house material, all of which must be fitted and bolted together to reproduce the five "practical" two-story houses seen in Pomander Walk, the land of happiness. But everything will be shipshape tonight.

## THE 54 HOUR LAW

## Went Into Effect in Local Mills Today

Did you notice that the mill operatives were a little late in going to work this morning?

If you read The Sun you weren't surprised because it was stated in The Sun on Saturday that the 54 hour law for women and minors to take effect January 1, 1912, was to be enforced in the local mills this morning; and all of the mills started in on the new schedule today. The operatives went to work at 6:45 instead of 6:30 o'clock as heretofore.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY

At his home 67 Thirteenth street, Master George Brennan entertained 35 of his young friends, the occasion being his eighth birthday. There were several games played. There were recitations by Miss Marion Boyle and Miss Agnes Maher; piano solos by Miss Anna McSorley; ice cream, cake, candy and other good things were served.

The dining room was prettily decorated for the occasion. Master George received many pretty gifts from his little friends. Among them was a beautiful birthday cake presented to him by Mrs. Michael Connolly.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

**Lift Their Burdens**

If you will take a little time and spend a little thought, you can make this Xmas long remembered in your home.

There are ways to permanently lift the burdens of home workers.

Watch this space for helpful suggestions.

LOWELL ELECTRIC

LIGHT CORP.

50 Central Street

# LOSS IS \$1,000,000

## Plant of United States Express Co. at Jersey City Destroyed

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 4.—The principal plant of the United States Express Co. for the service of New York city and vicinity was swept by fire early today and practically the whole delivery equipment, consisting of 400 horses and several hundred wagons, was destroyed. The plant occupied a day more than a thousand men and women are employed in the building but when the fire broke out only 150 men were there to care for the horses. Those succeeded in releasing a few of the animals but were soon driven out by the dense smoke, and he probably lost his life trying to rescue some of the horses.

The fire started in the munition pit and soon spread such headway that firemen were racing in and at one time it was thought that help would be needed from New York. During the day more than a thousand men and women were employed in the building but when the fire broke out only 150 men were there to care for the horses. Those succeeded in releasing a few of the animals but were soon

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# CONGRESS MET TODAY

## Hundreds Unable to Gain Admission at Opening of Session

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The Senate and house of congress convened at noon today. Practically every member of each house was in his seat. The galleries were crowded, and hundreds of people were unable to gain admission. The expected speech of Representative Littleton of New York regarding the steel trust question was the sensational incident featuring the opening day of Congress.

There was a lull in the house just

### IT IS SIMPLY MARVELOUS

The Good Derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Patient Gained Thirty-eight Pounds in Less than Two Months.

Business Men in Town Know About the Case.

BARRE FORGE, Pa.—"There is no other medicine in the world that I know so much about, and am so glad to recommend, as Hood's Sarsaparilla. The good it has been to me is simply marvelous. I suppose I was one of the greatest sufferers from Indigestion and Liver troubles. In eight months I lost 62 pounds, and my strength ran down so that I was scarcely able to walk about the house. I was misery to myself and all about me. I looked terrible, and my friends thought I could only live a short time. Indeed, I made up my mind to this myself.

"I tried some of our best physicians here and in Huntingdon, but with no avail, until one of the doctors prescribed Hood's Sarsaparilla. I made up my mind to give it a fair trial. I began to take it the 1st of January, and in six days I knew what was doing me good, for I began to relish food, and from that time on the result was more rapid. I increased in weight, gaining 35 pounds in less than two months. That tired feeling went away, and I feel almost as well as I ever did in my life. I eat and walk, sleep well, and in fact feel that I am a new man.

"Neurosis has trifled wonderfully about the changes in my condition, and they know it was due to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Several of the business men of this town, postmaster and other neighbors and friends, who know about my case will certify to the facts I have stated." Harrison Hooper.

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects its wonderful cures, not simply because it contains sarsaparilla, but because it combines the utmost remedial values of more than twenty different ingredients. There is no real substitute. Get Hood's Sarsaparilla today in the usual liquid form, or in the chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs,

### NOTICE

My wife, Eva Valrand, having left my bed and board, I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract after this date.

OMER VALRAND,  
Lowell, Mass., Dec. 6, 1911.

**HATHAWAY**  
THEATRE  
Garland & Shapiro, Lessees  
**FAREWELL APPEARANCE**  
OF THE  
DONALD MEIK STOCK CO.  
IN  
"Hello, Bill"  
(A Screechingly Funny Farce)  
Popular Prices. Matinees Daily  
Chocolate Matinee Monday

The Lowell Teachers' Organization

Will hold its regular monthly meeting in high school hall on

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

December 5, at 4 O'Clock

Mr. Hugh J. Molony of the State Normal school will give his lecture upon "A Tale of Two Cities." All interested are invited to attend. An admission fee of twenty-five cents will be charged to those who are not members of the organization.

**GRAND**  
**Operatic Concert**

By Artists from the Boston Opera House

Thursday Evening

DECEMBER 7TH

COLONIAL HALL

TICKETS 50¢ TO \$1.00

For sale at Steinert's, 130 Merrimack Street. The Humble Piano Used.

### THIMBLE CLUB PARTY

Delightful Dance in Highland Club Hall

A short time ago the members of the Highland Thimble club, composed of several young matrons of that section of the city, during a lull in the business of "stitch, stitch, stitch," conversationally reverted to the days not long since when all were still in a state of single blessedness, and the times they were wont to have in those days when periodically they received and accepted an invitation to attend a party given by the famous old Bachelor club, whose select dances in President Hall were among the society events of the passing seasons and which drew friends from far and near by reason of their fame. Then of course the question was asked: "What became of the Bachelors?" and "How could such a popular organization pass out of existence so completely?" The answer shone forth in the crimsoned cheeks of a majority of the matrons, for nearly every one of them was personally responsible for the finish of the club, as each married a member and when finally the membership got down to three lone ones, the latter after waiting a reasonable length of time for some one to come along and accept them, went into executive session and sadly voted to disband for all time with best wishes for those who had "gone before."

"My husband can dance as well as ever," said one of the party. "Mine never could dance until I married him and I showed him how," said another.

"Let's hold a party and get the old crew together again," suggested a chorus.

"We old regulars," answered the speaker.

"He's a colored man. He has sat

next to the clock at the opening of Congress for every session in the last 16 years. He must be dead."

### TEAMS ARE TIED

#### FOR THE FIRST PLACE IN MACHINE SHOP LEAGUE

The Machine Shop and Yard teams of the Machine Shop League are now tied for first position, each team having won 14 and lost 9 points. The Kison quintet is in third place and the Office and Drafting Room teams are tied for fourth with the Foundry aggregation bringing up the lower rung of the ladder.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Machinist Shop	15	9	62.5
Yard	15	9	62.5
Kison	11	10	55.5
Office	12	12	50.0
Drafting Room	12	12	50.0
Foundry	1	20	16.7

Average over so who have bowled in nine or more strings:  
Machine Shop Team Strings, Avg. 91.61  
Kison, Kitson 90.33  
Centley, Kitson 90.27  
Chase, D. Root 88.87  
Barker, Office 87.67  
Sibley, D. French 87.20  
McGregor, M. Camp 86.90  
P. French, Foundry 86.91  
Marshall, Yard 86.89  
Kitson, Kitson 85.94  
Smith, M. Shop 86.78  
O'Neill, Office 85.49  
Grauer, M. Shop 85.28  
Woolsey, M. Yard 85.28  
Brooks, Foundry 85.17  
Goodchild, D. French 85.50  
Mitchell, Office 85.50  
Murray, Yard 84.11  
McKittredge, Office 81.12  
Greene, Kitson 80.83  
Kinney, Office 80.72  
Borchardt, Yard 80.72  
D. Room 80.22

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

JULIUS CAESAR, Prop. and Mgr.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, DEC. 6-7

MATINEE THURSDAY

Charles A. Sellen's Merry Musical Extravaganza and Stupendous Trick Spectacle, the New American Pantomime



20 NOVELTIES	19 Gorgeous Scenes	40 Clever Singers and Dancers	21 New Song Hits
And a clowd of beauty and charm, two hours and one-half of fun and frolic. Sixty smiles a minute.			

PRICES NIGHTS ..... \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c, 15c TODAY

AMUSEMENT CENTRE OF LOWELL Tel. 2033 THIS WEEK

16 People—THE BOYS IN BLUE—16 People

"DRIFTING" Henry D. Coniff's Latest One-Act Play Presented by OUR STOCK COMPANY

BEATRICE SAVILLE IN A LECTURE ON LOWELL IN THE PAST AND PRESENT

EXCLUSIVE VIEWS BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSN.

Special for Thursday, "ARAH-NA-POGUE" An Irish Drama

Friday and Saturday In Three Acts

See Uncle Sam's Jacklow. 20 Minutes of Laughter

LEE BARTH—Comedian DEVERNE AND VAN COMEDA MUSICAL ACT

PHOTO-PLAYS "A FOOTBALL HERO," "A WOMAN SCORNED" AND OTHERS

GRAND OPERA FRIDAY "THE JOLLY MUSKETEER"

In Three Acts

See Uncle Sam's Jacklow. 20 Minutes of Laughter

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Can You Use One or

Two Pairs of

# Lace Curtains

WE ARE GOING TO SELL ALL ODD PAIRS OF LACE CURTAINS

# Just Half Price

One Lot of Half Pairs at Just 1-4 Price, and That's Going Some in Price Cutting—\$1.00 Worth for 25c.

# All Remnants

Of Linoleum, Oil Cloth, Velvet, Tapestry and Ingrain Carpetings and Straw Matting, \$1.00 Worth for 60c. You may Buy \$1.00 Worth or \$100 Worth.

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General House Furnishers

MERRIMACK SQUARE.

# THE ANNUAL RETREAT

For Women of Immaculate Conception Parish Opened Last Night

The annual retreat for the women of Burns and the sermon was preached by Rev. D. J. Heffernan. The arrangements for the observance of the feast of the Immaculate Conception were announced for next Friday as follows:

Masses at 5, 7, 8 and 9 o'clock.

The boys of the parish who have made their first communion have been organized into a junior Holy Name society, and its membership bids fair to rival the men's society, which in point of numbers stands among the leading societies in the archdiocese. Rev. John F. Burns, the zealous spiritual director, is in charge of the boys' society and takes the same lively interest in the welfare of its members as has characterized his work in the senior society since its reorganization.

The work of razing the old church building has been completed and the spot where once stood the wooden place of worship, presents a deserted appearance. Indeed there is little left to indicate that a church stood there, and in a short time the tall hall building will be torn down. In the spring, although definite announcement has not been made, it is believed that the erection of the new parish school will begin. The lot is a spacious one and admits of the erection of a fine roomy building, which will be in accordance with the most up-to-date ideas in school construction.

Rev. Thomas F. McManus, formerly attached to St. Peter's, now pastor of St. Lawrence's church, Brookline, will assist in the dedication of the Michael Driscoll school in that town tomorrow evening. The name Michael Driscoll is one to conjure by in Brookline educational affairs, for he has served as

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St. Peter's Church

At St. Peter's church yesterday high mass was celebrated by Rev. John F.

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# B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

WEEK DECEMBER 4

Again a Big All Star Bill

THE ACME OF MODERN COMEDY

GORDON & STODDARD

Presenting Vandeville Frivolities

A Whole Lot Of Nonsense for Laughs

Rowls and Van Kauffman

A Whining Worker

3 SHELVEY BROS. 3

SENSATIONAL ACROBATS

PRESIDENT 13 CLUB

SINGING ACROBATS

H. T. McCONNELL

GORDON & KEYS

CASTULLUCI BAND

MYSTERIOUS MOORE

FUN FOR THE YOUNG AND OLD

HATHAWAY'S MONKEYS

See Uncle Sam's Jacklow. 20 Minutes of Laughter

GRAND DRAWERS (2d Floor) ..... 14c PAIR

Made of good cotton with pin tucks and hemstitched ruffle, sizes 23, 25, 27 and 29. Regular prices 19c and 25c.

Monday Evening Price 14c Pair

REGISTRY OF DEEDS

PRIZES AWARDED

A grand drawing under the auspices of the Sheridan Guards was held at the armory, 67 Market street and was a great success. The holders of the lucky tickets were: First prize, James J. Gaffney; second prize, Norah Morgan; third prize, Catherine Frances Sullivan.

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Scented Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold.

We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

F. H. Butler, Carleton & Hovey,

A. Thomasson, Brunelle Pharmacy,

C. E. Carter, A. F. Storey & Co.,

F. C. Goodale, Falls & Burdshaw



# PALMERS DEFEATED

## The Indians Won by a Score of 10 to 0 Saturday

The Indians defeated the Palmers by a score of 10 to 0. In a fast game of football before a large and enthusiastic crowd at Washington Park, Saturday afternoon. The Indians were far superior to their opponents but Fahey, McMahon, Donohoe and Dowd put up a good game for the losing team.

The game started with the Indians kicking off to the Palmers. They lost the ball on downs in an effort to penetrate the strong line of their opponents. The Red men immediately pulled off a number of flashy forward passes and Jim Mahan finally went over the line for the first touchdown after about five minutes of play, amid great excitement among the Indian rooters. Donnellan missed a hard try at goal from a difficult angle. Score: Indians 6; Palmers 0.

On the kickoff Fahey received the ball and returned the kick to the center of the field. The ball see-sawed back and forth in midfield and the period ended by Toy punting to Fahey.

Play started with the ball in the possession of the Palmers who were held for downs, their lines crumpling before the onslaught of the Indian forwards, the South common boys being nailed for small gains. At times the man with the ball was blocked by his own forwards who were driven right into his interference and nailed as he tried to skirt the end.

Fahey with a fierce rush, came through center, meeting Fawcett head on, and ran 30 yards before Fahey landed him. Toy made 10 yards on the next play, Donnellan made a corking forward pass to McHugh who fell over the line for a touchdown, Dowd tackling him on the line.

Donnellan failed to kick the goal. Toy kicked to Dowd who showed a dash of the old Palmer days, and ran through a broken field for 35 yards. McMahon failed on an end run for want of good interference and Fahey punted to Toy. Fahey's punts were long and high and it was remarkable that he got every one away in spite of the fact that nearly the whole

Indian front line had him surrounded almost instantly. The half ended with a 20 yard run around right end by McHugh. Score: Indians 10; Palmers 0.

In the second period Toy kicked off to McHugh, who ran the ball back 15 yards. Dowd made a forward pass to Curr, for 10 yards, Toy downing him the instant he received the ball.

The Indians held for downs and after a couple of unsuccessful forward passes kicked to the Palmers' 25 yard line. The Palmers here showed their best aggressive work and kept the ball, making short gains around the ends, until the period ended with the ball in their possession in the centre of the field.

In the last period the Palmers were held for downs and forced to punt. On the first play Flynn made 30 yards around left end and was nailed by Dowd who was the only man between him and a touchdown, it saved a score. The Indians started on a march down the field but as the Palmers had solved the forward pass their progress was retarded long enough to prevent further scoring. The period ended with the ball in possession of the Indians and in Palmer territory.

The lineup and summary:

INDIANS	PALMERS
McHugh, rt.	to. Coppers
Ross, Quinn, lt.	rt. Kavanagh
Moran, lg.	rg. Healey
Conlon, Vernum, c.	c. Boland
Murphy, rg.	lg. Lyons
Rourke, rt.	lt. Donohue
Lauhart, Mahan, le.	rv. Sullivan, Carty
O'Hallahan, qb.	rb. Dowd
Flynn, cb.	rb. McMahon
Toy, th.	rb. Fahey
Donnellan, hub.	rb. Fawcett

Score: Indians, 10; Palmers, 0. Touchdowns: Mahan and McHugh. Umpire: Matt. Mahoney. Referee: Frank Rogers. Field Judge: John Gleason. Timers: Henry Foley and George Kirby. Linemen: Kane and Donnellan. Time: Four 10-minute periods.

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# MANY COMPLAINTS

## About the Condition of Some Streets in the City

Despite the fact that considerable time has been spent in paving and street repairing, it is still true that there was never a time in the city's history when more complaints were heard about the condition of streets than at the present time.

"Why don't you say something about the condition of Butman road?" said a resident of that section to a reporter for The Sun. The reporter said he hadn't traversed Butman road for many months and did not know its condition.

"That's what I thought," said the man from Butman road. "Not long ago," he said, "The Sun spoke about a street that was in a condition so terrible as to be a disgrace to the city and I noted that the street was repaired shortly after the article appeared in your paper."

"The street you mentioned was in rough condition but it never had any paving on Butman road. Last spring water made a big gully in the road and it was allowed to remain that way all summer. It was only a few days ago that a stone crusher got started between Wentworth avenue and Parkview avenue and the following morning a big auto truck owned by the Lowell Gas Co. got stalled in the same place."

"The gully is from 60 to 70 yards long, from one foot to two and one-half feet wide, with clay, instead of stone and gravel, and the city didn't even spend \$100 for the hauling of the materials or for auto tracks. I am going to give Superintendent Butman a piece of my mind when I get home. There are only a few of us on that end of the road and I suppose the other fellows care that we are in the hand of the Devil."

The man from Butman road having said all that he had in mind about what he could do to help his neighbor, he went back to his home.

### FUNERALS

THURSDAY—The funeral of Frederick F. Thomas, aged 2 years, son of John and Edith (Dunn) Thomas, took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of Dr. Charles M. D. MacCormack, 500 Main Street, in the charge of death officiating; the funeral was private. Burial took place

at 104 West Sixth street at 3:30 o'clock and proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 3:45 o'clock services were read for the repose of the soul by the Rev. W. George Mullin.

The church was filled with friends and relatives of the deceased many coming from Tauton, Providence, Worcester and Boston.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral tributes showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances and among them were the following: large pillow roses, pinkie chrysanthemums and ferns with the inscription "Auntie" from the nieces and nephews of the deceased; spray of white roses and ferns Mr. and Mrs. J. Remond McCarthy and family of Providence, R. I.; spray of roses and asters, Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy; bouquet of roses, pinkie and asters surmounted by white dove with the inscription "Sleeping"; from the employees of the leading rooms of the F. S. Goding Co.; standing cross on base of roses, pinkie, asters and ferns from the employees of the Appleton mill; spray of pinkie and chrysanthemums; Misses Alice and Etta Chisholm; spray of white roses and ferns, Miss Nellie Murphy; spray of pinkie and roses from the Brainerd family; spray of roses, pinkie and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Corr; spray of white asters and ferns, Misses Julia and Josephine Cronan; spray of asters, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Gardner of Tauton, Mass.; spray of pinkie from a friend. There were several other sprays from friends.

The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. John Droney, Thomas Gorman, Frank Golden, Edward Curr, Peter Farrington and Robert Lindsey. The funeral proceeded to St. Patrick's cemetery, burial being in the family lot where the communal prayers were read by the Rev. W. George Mullin. The funeral was largely attended and under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

NORRIS—The funeral of Miss Katherine Norris took place from 178 First street yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Chamberlain, pastor of St. Anne's church. The bearers were relatives and burial was in Tyngsboro, in charge of Undertaker J. B. Currier Co.

GORDON—The funeral of Robert B. Gordon took place Saturday at one o'clock from the home of E. P. Wiggin, 671 Mammoth road, Rev. Benjamin R. Harris of the Paige Street church officiating. Miss Belle Hutchins and Mrs. Chester Colburn sang appropriate selections. The bearers were Charles Citter, Charles Hanbald, James W. Pollard and E. P. Wiggin. Burial was in the family lot in Hudson, N. H., C. M. Young in charge.

SILARKEY—The funeral of Mr. Michael Sharkey took place this morning from his late home, 17 Newhall street, at 8:30 and proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where a high mass was sung by Rev. Mr. McDevitt, O. M. I. at 9 o'clock. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. Among the many floral tributes laid on the grave were the following: Pillow from the family, inscribed "P.D." standing cross inscribed "At Rest" from Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Johnson and family; large wreath on base from the Nonpareil club inscribed "At Rest"; bouquet of chrysanthemums from the Johnson children; spray of blue roses and carnations from Mr. John Sharkey and family; spray of chrysanthemums from the Misses Moline and Salmon Cromey; wreath, Misses Lillie and Annie Smith; wreath, Mrs. Nellie Barrows and

John Jennings; spiritual bouquets from Mrs. John Blaine, Mrs. John Gillian, Miss Kathie Buckley, Mrs. John Sorley, Mr. P. Ryan.

The bearers were all nephews of deceased as follows: John Sharkey, Chas. Sharkey, Charles J. Sharkey, Ed. St. Ledger, Wm. Connelly and Mr. Charles Sullivan. Interment took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the communal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. McDermott. Undertaker J. F. Rogers in charge.

COLDFIELD—With solemn and impressive services the remains of the late Samuel Coldfield were tenderly consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral, which was very largely attended, took place from his late home, 104 West Sixth street at 3:30 o'clock and proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 3 o'clock, a high mass of repose was celebrated for the repose of his soul by Rev. Francis J. Mullin. The choir directed by Mr. Thomas P. Boulier sang the Gregorian mass, the solo being sustained by Miss Margaret Griffin and Mr. Boulier. As the urns were being borne from the church the choir chanted "De Profundis." Miss Carolyn White presided at the organ. There were many beautiful and appropriate floral offerings among them being: A pillow of roses and chrysanthemums inscribed, "Husband and Father"; from the bereaved family; cross of roses and carnations on base inscribed "Papa"; from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Culvin of Somerville, Mass.; standing wreath of chrysanthemums and carnations inscribed "At Rest"; from Mr. and Mrs. Peter Murphy of Phoenix, R. I.; wreath of roses with ribbon inscribed "At Rest."

from Misses Annie and Sarah Thomas; from Mr. John McCann and family; ribbon, "Farewell," from Mr.

and Mrs. Joseph Farley and family; standing wreath of roses and carnations from the weaver room of the Moshéhal Glass company; pillow of roses and chrysanthemums inscribed "M. C." from Mrs.

E. No. 33" from the Elkhorn cedar Daniel Murphy and family of Somer-

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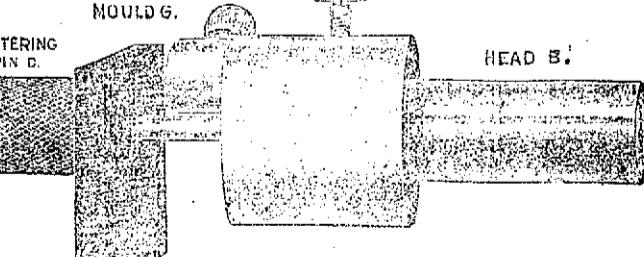
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You'll never forget in progress at the Specialty Shop. Women interested in better than going values will find them here in plenty. There are by actual count forty-eight different designs to choose from, and thirty-five of these were made to sell for 50¢. If you want to see them, all you've got to do is simply take a glimpse at our East Show Window, and the story will be completely told. They are inexpensive and quite appropriate for Christmas gifts. The entire lot is at your mercy until sold—all at one uniform price:

50c Irish Crochet Bows

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilote, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

## MUNICIPAL STATISTICS

The bureau of statistics, of which Charles F. Gettrey is director, has just issued the volume of municipal statistics covering the year from November 30, 1908, to April 1, 1909. It is late in coming to be sure, but nevertheless it is a very interesting volume as showing the comparative expense of departments in the different cities of the state. The cities are grouped according to population and then the general expenses of government are given, affording a good basis of comparing the expenses of municipal government under different heads in the cities and towns of the state. Worcester, Fall River, Lowell and Cambridge form the first group, and it is interesting to note the difference in their net indebtedness and the temporary loans as shown below:

	Indebtedness,	Temporary Loans,
Worcester	\$5,225,870.31	\$1,031,928.25
Fall River	3,937,006.97	568,000.00
Lowell	2,701,109.40	1,300,000.10
Cambridge	8,299,307.77	925,000.00

The interest account carried by these cities varies more than their population would lead one to expect, but it should be noted that in this account are included loans for general purposes and loans for public service enterprises. The interest accounts for the four cities of this group with their valuation are as follows:

	Worcester	Fall River	Lowell	Cambridge
General Purposes	\$198,180.35	\$191,813.77	\$157,300.55	\$151,466.53
Public service	112,211.13	36,509.00	46,122.98	148,248.31
Total	\$310,691.48	\$251,313.77	\$202,722.93	\$199,714.88

Valuation: Worcester, \$129,623,420; Fall River, \$89,275,184; Lowell, \$76,415,792; Cambridge, \$104,881,075.

## THE IRISH PLAYERS

Lady Gregory in commenting upon the attack upon the Irish players who presented "The Playboy of the Western World" in New York made this statement to the press:

"You know the Irish are hot-headed. I presume I should have done the same thing these people did if I had been brought up that way. The whole intellect of America is with us. We found the most hearty approval of this play at Harvard, Yale, Vassar, Smith and other colleges. One of the actors just said to me that he was taught in his youth that the views of Ireland belong to outsiders and her citizens are peculiarly energetic."

It would appear from this statement that at least part of the mission of the Irish players is to propagandise the views of Ireland, a country free from all the serious woes than any other in the world. There was a time when Ireland was addicted to intemperance, but that charge does not apply to the Ireland of today.

This so-called dramatic revival depicts the Irish people and even the Irish girls as glorifying vice, a crime that is held in utter abhorrence in Ireland. Another thing which the Irish players do to misrepresent the Irish people is the mingling of religion and blasphemy in the dialogue of the plays. It is not infrequent to have one of the characters invoke God and the saints while plotting wickedness, something that is a gross calumny upon the people.

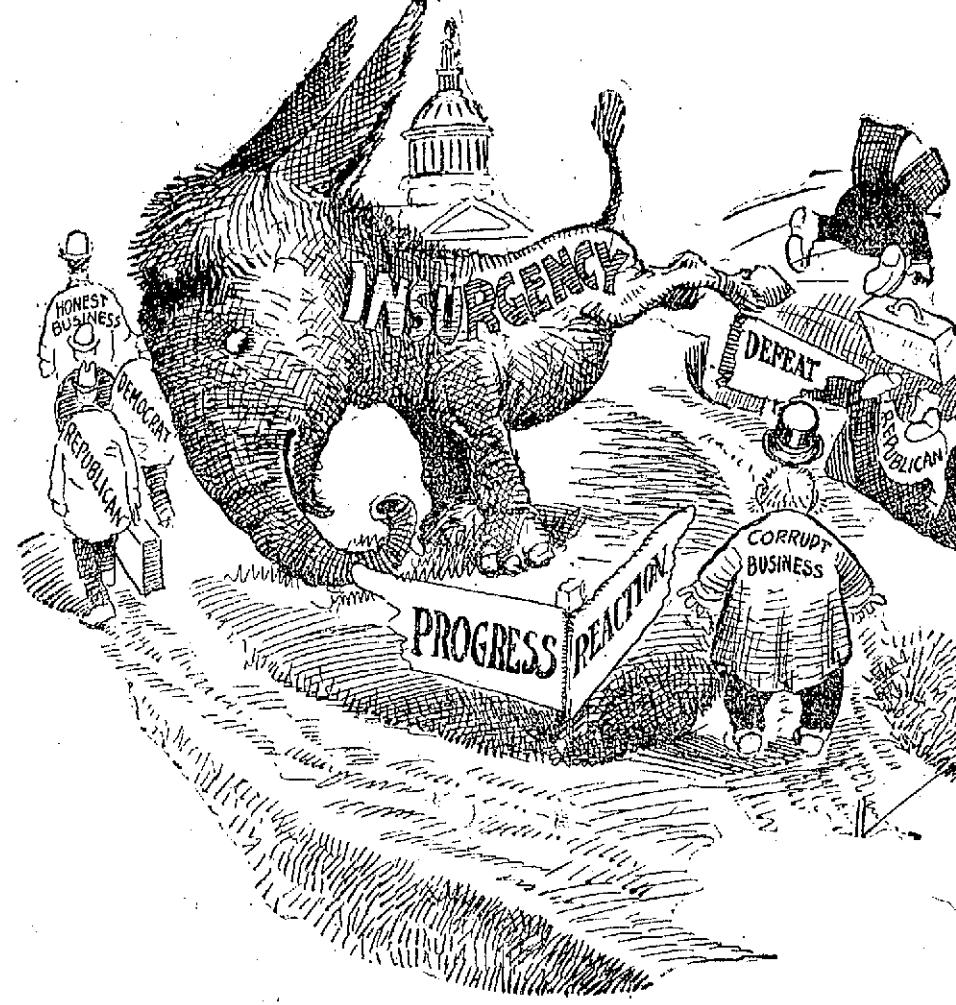
Lady Gregory is mistaken when she thinks she has the intellect of America with her in this business. It is hardly to be expected that Americans will denounce if a company of so-called Irish players burlesque and satirize their own nationality. Lady Gregory should understand that it is unfair to represent any nationality by its worst. She is not justified in charging ignorance or hot-headedness to the race that properly resents such an insult. Thus far in her mission she has played to small houses because the plays for the most part represent rage and poverty where they do not positively portray crimes or conditions most repulsive to Irish sentiment and all this without any moral object or lesson that anybody can discern.

## CASES OF JUVENILE DEPRAVITY

Nothing is more shocking to a civilized community than the conviction of mere youths for wilful and even fiendish murder unless it be the murderer himself. In Chicago the other day four men were sentenced to death and two boys of sixteen sent to prison for life for the murder of a truck farmer in the outskirts of Chicago. They attacked their victim for the purpose of taking his money, but although he proffered them everything he had and begged them to spare his life, they beat him to insensibility and then stabbed and shot him to death and threw his body into the brush on the roadside. This was a most cruel murder, and the desperate gang will pay the penalty. The pity of it is, that two mere boys are convicted as participants in the crime as a result of being in the company of bad young men. Many an innocent boy has been drawn into the commission of crimes in this same way. One of the Lynn bandits was a good boy until he fell in with desperadoes.

In less serious matters the same rule holds good. There are many examples of this kind in police court where scores of boys appear at the juvenile session charged with various offenses into which they were led by older companions, by boys addicted to evil ways and who delight in making others as bad as themselves. Their mothers go to court to plead for them; but it is then too late, the harm has been done; the boys as a rule have been corrupted by their associations and through the neglect of their parents to protect them against these dangers.

The present law deals perhaps too lightly with the boys guilty of various offenses; but if such leniency is necessary then the parents should be called to account in order to compel them to keep their boys under greater restraint and especially protect them from becoming part and parcel of the young hoodlum element which is never satisfied except when committing malicious mischief or petty depredations, vandalism and the deliberate destruction of property. In this respect things are going from bad to worse, and the time is not far distant when more stringent measures must be adopted to prevent the manufacture of criminals through parental neglect and the operation of a law that protects the erring child until he has become a full-fledged criminal.



THERE'S ONLY ONE SAFE WAY

## SEEN AND HEARD

There's one good thing about the few signs that the heavens do lay in November. They are always perfectly fresh. Eh? Eh?

Many a man who has ideas—and good ideas, too, he thinks—about how the country should be run can't keep the furnace fire going regularly through the winter.

New England's great natural gas plants will soon begin working might and main.

The man who takes great pride in his ancestors cannot always be sure that posterity will take great pride in him.

Very likely yours is a good dog, but it is unreasonable for you to expect all the neighbors to have as good an opinion of him as you have yourself.

Even if you don't like the soap while you are using it you have the satisfaction of thinking that in buying it you helped some neighbor's boy get a writing desk.

Perhaps it is true that goat's milk will destroy the craving for strong drink. Some people will tell you that one taste of goat's milk has a tendency to discourage the whole drinking habit.

If a boy always stops and wipes his feet on the door-mat in muddy weather, he has been better brought up than most boys are.

The birds have no reason to be scornful about the aviators. The fledglings often get into trouble when they start to learn to fly.

A NATURE LOVER . . . . . I love to watch the sounding sea,  
I love the ocean's roar;  
I love the music of the waves  
That eat upon the shore.  
I love to watch the midnight pale,  
So soft, so calm, so still;

I love to see its mighty rays  
On valley, wood, and hill.  
I love the lines of autumn woods.  
The trees in fire dressed;

I love the sunset's rosy glow,  
That gloriess the west.

I love to gaze upon the stars,  
That twinkle in the night.

I love the borealis bars,  
I love the morning light.

I love the world of living things,  
The flowers, the plants, the birds,

I love the rustling of the trees,  
With love too deep for words,

I love the beauty of the rose,  
And I'll confide to you,

I am reminded every year  
I love roast turkey, too.

—Somerville Journal.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

Salem News: That is surely a remarkable year, both in the value of school drill in the admirable manner in which a Lynn school structure was emptied of its rising inmates within a period of two minutes, "boys as young as five years, with the oldest children not more than nine years," responded to the word of command. There was no disorder, no tendency to rush, not the slightest approach to panic-like conditions, and with smoke, at that, filling corridors. There must be praise for the cooched teachers, equally with admiration for the brave little men and women.

THE MILITANT SUFFRAGETTE . . . . .

Middletown Journal: Studied Kipling must have had his mental vision focused on the British militant suffragette when he gave vent to his outpouring on "The female of the species." From such a standpoint there is more than foundation for his conclusion.

## MEANING OF CONSISTORY

Boston Transcript: "Not" for denunciators has the non-American on denunciators got such recognition as in today's consistory. It furnishes the first chance in modern history for a foreigner to become pope. In Rome the impression seems to prevail that Cardinal Merry de Vali is chosen.

JESSE A. CASE . . . . .

I am the man that conquers Rheumatism.

This photograph shows me as I am today, over 50 years of age, in perfect bodily physical condition. ABSOLUTELY FREE FROM RHEUMATISM.

I wish it were possible to picture my condition 10 years ago. But after 20 years I suffered with rheumatism, and for more than half that time I could not pen a letter. See my hands as they are today—do you want more proof of what my rheumatic specific does? If so, write at once for my FRIENDS AND CURSES. Don't send a stamp. IT'S ABSOLUTELY FREE!

JESSE A. CASE . . . . .

Dept. 114, BROOKLYN, MASS.

The most wonderful book ever written—the most wonderful medicine ever compounded.

I shall be in Lowell, Tuesday, December 11, at 75 Chelmsford street, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and would be pleased to meet anyone having rheumatism.

READ THIS Lowell, Nov. 23, 1911.

Mr. Jesse A. Case.

Dear Sirs: In reply to yours would say that I am completely cured of my rheumatism. I am now working much and had despaired of ever being anything but crippled. I had no encouragement from doctors that I ever would be any better. I am as thankful as any man in the world to the author of this paper. I truly hope that others will try your medicine and I shall tell you of your results.

Mrs. Margaret Wallace, 5 Pollard avenue.

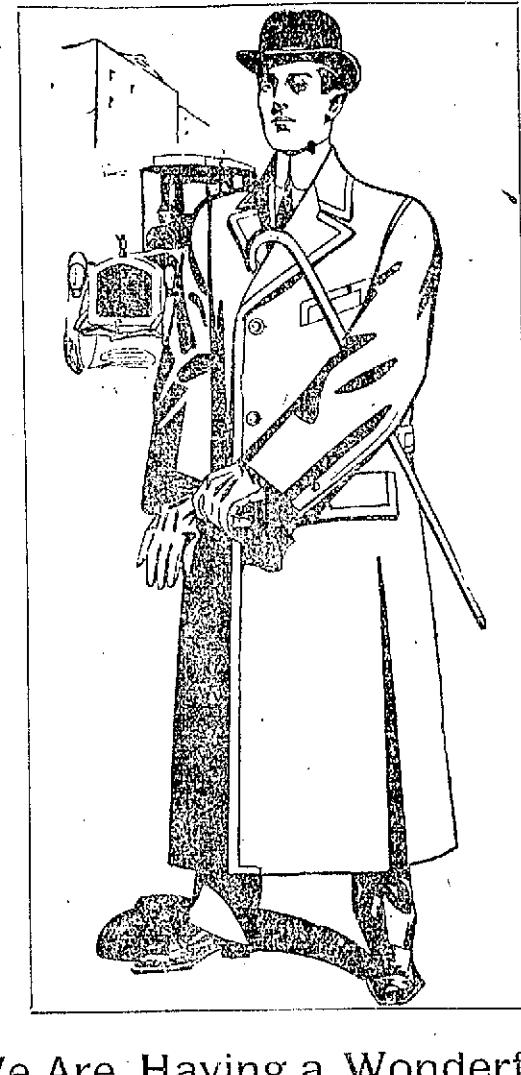
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\$8.00 and up to \$25

## BOILERS EXPLODE

Five Men Killed and Tug-boat Was Wrecked

ham, fireman; James Friel, deckhand.

Only the body of Friel was found, having been thrown upon a neighboring coal barge.

The other bodies are thought to have been carried down the river by the current.

Of the injured, Charles C. Hays, pilot, and Benjamin G. William, are in a hospital, where it is expected they will die.

KEITH'S USHERS HOLD THEIR FIRST PARTY TO MORROW EVENING

The staff of courteous young men who constitute the ushers at Keith's theatre will hold their first select dancing party at Associate hall tomorrow evening, and the affair promises to be unusually attractive. Kittridge's orchestra will furnish a concert program and music for the dancing while some of the acts at the theatre will be presented. A jolly time is anticipated.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25¢.

## Christmas Jewelry WALTHAM AND ELGIN WATCHES

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# FOUGHT WITH KNIVES

## One Man Killed and Two Others Injured in Battle

QUINCY, Dec. 4.—One man is dead, two are in the Quincy hospital, seriously cut, and two more are locked up in the police station as the result of a battle with knives at 35 Water street yesterday afternoon.

With his breast sliced open and a gash in his head, Spino Savello is guarded at the hospital by Patrolman George McKay, charged with murdering Giuseppe Ruchero.

Guiseppe's brother, Matteo, is held at the police station as a material witness. Both bound at Savello's home, 33 Water street, in the Italian quarter, near the quarries, Savello is 24 years old and recently married. He objected to their language to his recently young wife, and used a 15-inch bread knife in defending himself when the two brothers, according to the testimony of those in the house, attacked him with a knife and a razor.

### Risks Babe for Men

Savello's wife, Stefania, ran to aid her husband with her little baby, Teresa, in her arms. She was spattered from head to foot with blood, but escaped unharmed.

Savello is a little man, but with the assistance of the kitchen-edged bread knife snatched from the table, and despite his own gash wounds, he chased the brothers out of the house. In the street he engaged with Giuseppe Ruchero, who was full 50 pounds heavier. Savello ran his knife into Giuseppe's stomach and disemboweled him. Matteo, the other brother, ran off naked.

Dominick Cusdiglio, 29, of 3 Lambert street, Cambridge, was visiting the Savello home and tried to stop the fight. His eye was cut out. He is in the hospital with Spino Savello.

Dominick's friend, Michele Salvendy, also of 3 Lambert street, is locked up in the Quincy police station.

### Farewell Party

The two Cambridge Italians were going back to Italy and came to Quincy to bid their friends farewell.

### OLD TIME CRUELTY

#### ONE TIME WHEN SURGERY IS OFTEN NEEDLESS TORTURE

Many operation for piles are surely needless torture, for when it's all over the piles come back.

The only fine way to be rid of piles for good is to use Dr. Leggett's HEM-RED. It cures piles by drying away with the cause, poor circulation.

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Red Felt Slippers with felt soles, no heels. All sizes. Regular price 50¢.

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Men's Cashmere Hose in plain black, gray, natural and tan, double heel and toe, not seconds. Regular price 25¢.

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60 Black Cotton Taffeta Petticoats in all lengths. Regular price 50¢.

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### LADIES' POLO COATS

25 Polo Coats in Junior, Misses' and Ladies' sizes. All colors. Regular price \$13.

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White Cotton Fleece Union Suits, long sleeves, high neck. Regular price 98¢.

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High, Medium and Low Bust Corsets, long hip for stout and slender forms. Reg. price 98¢.

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Black and brown, medium and light, rubber band. Regular price 5¢.

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### DETECTIVE BURNS

Continued

### MORE SURPRISES

ARE PRONOUNCED IN THE McNAMARA CASE

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Specifically the federal inquiry is as to whether or not the statute governing inter-state transportation of dynamite has been violated but since the visit of Detective William J. Burns to this city yesterday, it is intimated that proceedings on more serious charges may follow if the federal grand jury returns indictments against men alleged to have been "higher up" in the McNamara conspiracy.

From Orrie McMinnig the state has obtained possession of much information concerning other explosions. Although for the last few days there have been rumors that the McNamaras will make a full confession implicating co-conspirators, it was said by Attorney Joseph Scott of the McNamara defense that District Attorney Fredericks did not demand a full confession when the arrangement was made for them to plead guilty and obtain clemency. Attorney Scott has been with the prisoners since they made their confessions.

"The McNamaras are bearing their burden bravely," said Mr. Scott today. "They have a soldier's spirit and are ready to take their medicine whatever it be. They feel that a load has been lifted from their minds. One of the first things they did was to telegraph a friend in Indianapolis to go to Cincinnati to comfort their mother, who, they read, had broken down."

"What do the McNamaras say about the attacks made on them by labor leaders?" Scott was asked.

"Well, they have not said anything for publication as yet, and they don't have to make any more confessions just yet, but John J. Scott will make a statement some time soon, expressing his views and telling us what he sought to accomplish. He had certain ideas on how to make his fight in the world and he was honestly convinced that they were the best."

"What sentence do you think John J. will get?"

"About 14 years, I think; but that's up to the court."

"Are the McNamaras worrying about their sentences?"

"No, they are ready to take what they get. They are worrying only about us, the attorneys. They think their confession has hurt John Harriman, who is running for mayor, and myself, as a candidate for the board of education."

District Attorney Fredericks himself issued a signed statement in connection with Mr. Scott's candidacy for the board of education.

"I know no reason why anyone intending to vote for Joe Scott should refuse to do so now because of his connection with the McNamara case," said Mr. Fredericks. "When we get through with him," declared Assistant District Attorney W. Joseph Ford today, "and when the federal government finishes its investigation people will realize how inadequate are our laws covering the bringing to trial or punishment of people who commit a crime, in one state and flee to another, or who live in one state and direct the commission of crimes in other states."

It was Mr. Ford who went to Indianapolis to represent the California authorities in arresting John J. McNamara and he declared that though McNamara was legally extradited the incident illustrated how, unless prompt action on the part of one state was taken "guilty parties might escape punishment by preventing extradition."

"And as to labor unions," he continued, "we of the prosecution bear no malice toward them. We tried to show in court that we were prosecuting individuals and not any particular class."

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with the alleged plot is said to have precipitated the confession that very day.

The McNamaras are to be sentenced tomorrow but the work of the prosecution here to apprehend other persons involved will go as a corollary to the investigation of the federal government which is believed to extend over a much wider field.

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## A PAGE OF FUN



WONDERFUL.

Your husband has a splendid memory I am told. Yes. Every time he gets a cold he can sit down and figure out just how and where he got it.

## One of the Benefits.

**H**E had a crepe band on his arm and the old man on the rear platform with him was curious about it, and finally queried: "For the wife?" "No." "Child?" "No." "Sister, eh?" "No—brother." "So you've lost a brother, eh?" "Yes, poor Tom has polled his last vote." "Did he live here in Oshkosh?" "Yes, right here." "Too bad. He ought to have lived

and died in New York city." "For what reason, sir?" "Why, they'd kept on letting him vote for twenty years after he died. Very liberal city, sir—very liberal!"

A FRIEND IN NEED.

Roggy—I say, Percy, you're-a-w-friend of mine, aren't you? Percy—Sure.

Roggy—Then be a good fellow and-ay-help me out. I'd like to have that pretty cousin of yours learn about my-aw-good points, doncher know.

Percy—I am helping you, old chap. I argued with her for two hours yesterday trying to convince her that you weren't as big a fool as you look.



DISCRETION.

Max doesn't tell any more stories in the office about the smart things his boy says at home. No. He's afraid of rousing up Dix, who has three boys at home, all equally smart.

## THE CHEAPER WAY.

**I** WAS in the Philippines last Christmas," said the army Captain, "and I had a native servant who was very curious about the day. I explained things to him, and asked if there wasn't some one he'd like to play Santa Claus to."

"One old man—my uncle," he replied after a moment's thought. "He then asked how much I thought

a present ought to cost, and I told him at least 25 cents. Nothing more was said about Christmas until the day after, and then I asked George: "Well, was your uncle pleased with his Christmas present?"

"He didn't get some, sonor," was the reply.

"Then you changed your mind?" "Si, sonor. Two American shil-

lings was much money. I think and think, and I find a cheaper way."

"How do you mean?"

"My uncle he go dead, and I don't have to buy anything!"

"And do you know," said the captain to his audience, "I never found out what that uncle died of. In fact I never dared inquire. Our Filipino brother is a very curious animal!"

## A GOOD WAY.

Fred—How would you sound a girl as to her Christmas present?

Jack—Well, the best way to sound her is to ask her what she wants.



THE REST.

Wat d'you like best about school? Goin' home from it.

## SHATTERING A BELIEF.

**Y**OU ask how I lost my left eye-brow," replied the drummer for a drug house, "and I will tell you. It was last year about this time, and I was on a train between Buffalo and Detroit. I got talking about Christmas with a stranger, and we were laughing over children's belief in Santa Claus, when a man about forty years old, who had the seat ahead, turned and asked:

"You don't mean to say that you don't believe Santa Claus comes down the chimney?"

"Why, of course he doesn't," I replied.

"And he hasn't got reindeers and a sled?"

"How silly!"

"And it is our parents who give us presents?"

"You ought to have got on to that at eight years old."

"But I didn't, sir—I didn't."

"I have believed all my life that there was a Santa Claus. When you say there is not it makes me feel terribly bad."

"Oh, I wouldn't shed tears over it at your age," I said.

"But you have destroyed my sacred belief, sir—one that I cherished above all others. It was cruel of you, and I see that you are a very wicked man and—"

"And what?" was asked of the drummer.

"Why, he knocked my eyebrow off because there was no Santa Claus."

"You don't mean it!"

"But wouldn't the eyebrow be there now if he hadn't knocked it off? Yes, sir, knocked it half the length of the car, and I have never really blamed him. I ought to have said that I didn't believe in ghosts instead!"

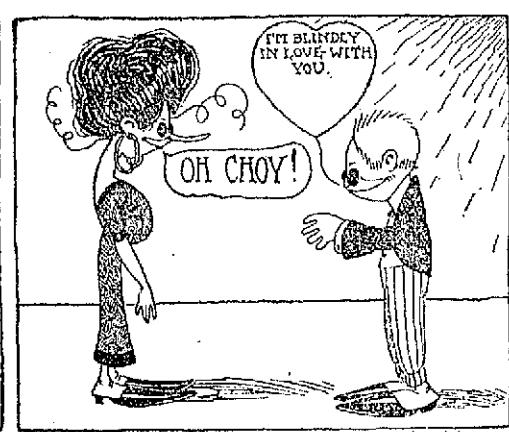
## HE KNEW.

Smart—"But even if women had the right of suffrage they couldn't be induced to vote."

Who—"That could easily be remedied by having a bargain counter at every polling place."



I WENT QUITE DIPPY OVER SUE—  
IF YOU COULD SEE HER YOU WOULD, TOO.  
HEELS OVER HEAD IN LOVE WAS I  
AND THAT AINT TELLIN' YOU NO LIE—



OUR LOVE WAS BLIND—WE COULDN'T SEE  
DEFECTS THAT SHOULD BE SEEN.  
WE COULDN'T SEE EACH OTHER'S FAULTS  
SO WE WERE QUITE SERENE.



—TODAY I TOOK AN "HIC" EYE-OPENER!



NOW THAT "EYE-OPENER" TILAT I TOOK  
OPENED SUE'S EYES, TOO, SO SHE COULD LOOK  
SO ANOTHER GIRL I'LL HAVE TO FIND  
CAUSE SUSIE'S LOVE'S NO LONGER BLIND.



SATISFACTORY.

"Are you satisfied with your new maid?" "Very. She's too old to get married and too fat to wear my things. So I think we'll be able to keep her."

## Keeping Right On.

E didn't have to have an affidavit that you had better let Mr. Taft go in his hand that he was an Englishtarian. He stopped before a man in a doorway and flourished his cane and said:

"Beg pardon, sir, but can you tell me the name of your President in this country?"

"It's Taft, sir," was the reply.

"Aw, thanks. I wish to tell you, sir, that I don't like Mr. Craft's ways."

"You mean Taft."

"Yes, sir. I think I could advise him to his benefit. Yes, sir, I feel that I could advise Mr. Taft."

"I told you it was Taft."

"Perhaps you did, sir—perhaps so. It was Mr. Craft wasn't it, that wanted Reciprocity with Canada?"

"Taft—Taft—Taft!"

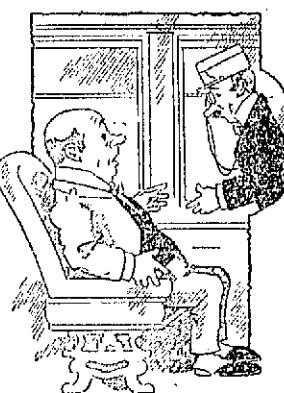
"I think you said so, sir. And Mr. Rait vetoed something or other, if I'm not mistaken?"

"See here, sir," replied the other, "your name might be Jones."

"It surely is."

"Well, suppose I called you Bones, Groans, Zings and Moans?"

"Why, me deah, deah follah, I should simply keep right on saying you."



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Sleepy Passenger—"Neither would you."



THE MODEST HUNTER.

Amateur Nimrod—Can you show me any bear tracks?

Native—I kin show you a bear.

Amateur Nimrod—Thanks awfully, old chap. Tracks will suffice.

## Getting It Straight.

There were just the two men on the rear platform of the trolley car with the conductor, and after one had regarded the other in a size-up way for a few minutes he said:

"I want to ask a question that may surprise you, but the best of us get stuck sometimes. Can you tell me what an itinerary is?"

"I think I can," was the reply. "To begin with, you must have a President of the United States."

"Yes."

"He should know it all."

"I see."

"He must veto bills that the people howl to have passed."

"Go on."

"And later on find himself in a hole."

"Just so."

"When one gets in a hole the natural desire is to bluff it out and say it isn't a hole. Therefore, the president plans a trip over eleven States to talk to the people and try and make them understand that they are the man in a hole instead of himself."

"I'm following you."

"But that's all. His journey is called an itinerary."

"And he makes the people believe?"

"That's to be found out next year."

"And I told my wife at breakfast this morning," gasped the inquirer,

that an itinerary was a new kind of catsup to flavor pork and beans!"

## NO, INDEED.

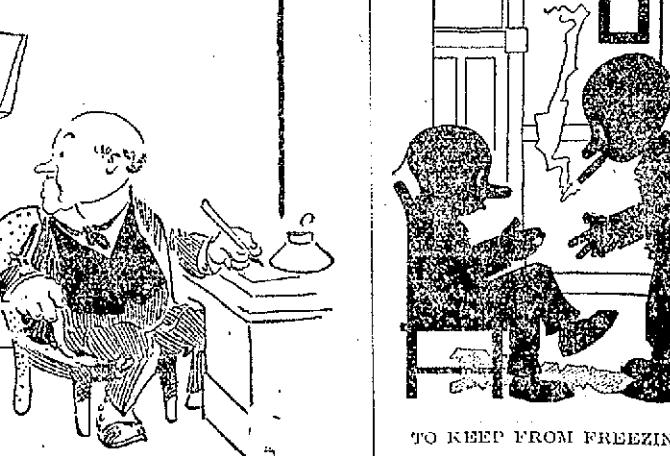
He—"Bingham isn't as black as he's painted."

She—"And his wife isn't as white as she is powdered."

There's one thing that's peculiar; Old Santa Claus is big and fat. Our chimney very small.

I've thought it over many months. It seems almost beyond belief. And still I cannot see.

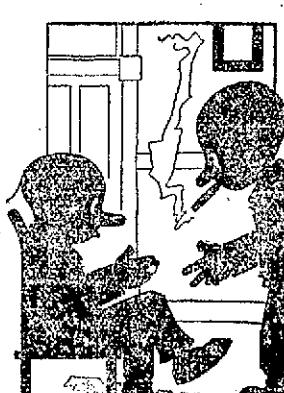
That he gets down at all.



THE IDEAL.

I have here the ideal snow shovel. Can you work it while I am sitting in front of the fireplace? Why, no; but—

Then you haven't the ideal snow-shovel. Goodby.



TO KEEP FROM FREEZING.

"What is that queer, rattling sound in the next room?"

"Why, that is the ossified man of the museum rubbing his joints to take the frost out of his system."

DECEMBER						
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A WONDER.

## MR. I. L. SHOWEM DOES SOME CHRISTMAS SHOPPING WITH HIS WIFE



## TURNED INTO RIOT

## BURNED TO DEATH

Many Injured at Benefit to Widow

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—A fusilade, accompanied by shouts of angry men and followed by a running battle with revolvers through the streets and over the steep Palisades, spread consternation through the town of Guttenberg, N. J., at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

The fight, which started in the Standard Brewery hall in Park avenue, left two men seriously wounded and twenty other persons—in women and children—badly hurt.

The police rushed from West New York and North Bergen to assist the small local force arrest eighteen men residents of New York. Seven of them were held for the grand jury charged with felonious assault.

A benefit was being given at the hall for Mrs. John J. Astel, of No. 407 West Forty-ninth street, New York, widow of the man who was shot and killed on October 12 by Putnam John Clifford, of West New York. Astel had been visiting in West New York and a bartender accused him of trying to steal a statuette. Astel resisted arrest, it is said, and was shot to death by the officer, who was exonerated. Friends of the Astel arranged the benefit for the widow.

Whether or not the killing of Astel by a policeman was one of the causes of the riot is not known, but, about midnight, a crowd of nearly one hundred young roughs from Manhattan arrived at the hall, and it was evident that they were looking for trouble.

There were only four patrolmen on guard in the place. The roughs started a fight in one end of the hall, evidently to lure the police on, but there were so many present that the battle became confused and ragged, indiscriminately all around the large room.

Revolvers blazed above the heads of terrified women. Children were knocked down and trampled upon. Blackjacks were swung in air and brought down with crashing force on any head that was nearest.

Some one sent a hurried call to West New York, and police were rushed from there and from North Bergen. When they forced their way into the melee, the invaders tried to flee, and a band of them did get away.

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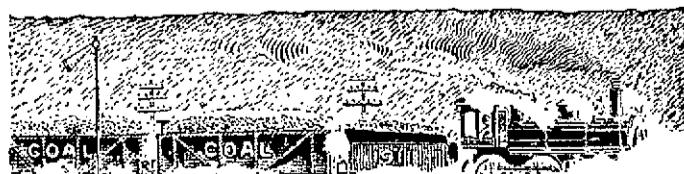
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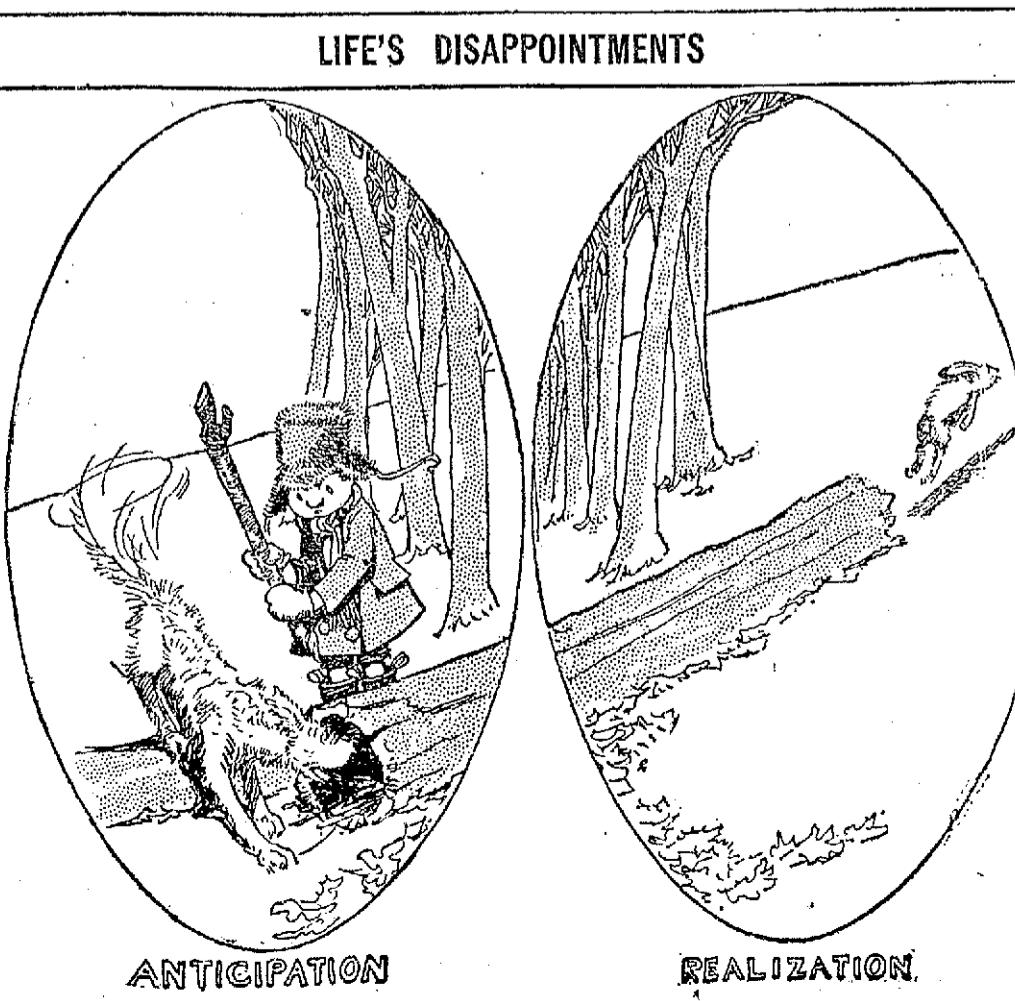
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## ADMIRAL WILDE DEAD

Old Sea-Fighter Passed Away Suddenly

NORTH EASTON, Dec. 4.—Death suddenly at his home here yesterday to Rear Admiral George Francis Paxton Wilde, U. S. N., retired, whose record of 40 years' service in the navy contains many notable achievements.

The old sea-fighter had been troubled with heart disease for several years, but the shock which caused the presentation by our Stock company. The play is one of Henry Dodge's latest and best efforts, entitled "Darwin." The piece is one in which the members of the company are given rare chance to display their unusual talents and should give general satisfaction. Mr. Dodge, who is clerk of the Massachusetts senate, has written numerous interesting short story sketches, and the particular one is said to be a real leader of its kind. The staging of the play will be an added feature.

Among the other who are to appear during the week are DeVore and Vion, who give a most amusing comedy musical act. Le Marche is a dead comedian who has a new and varied idea of conversation and songs that is especially entertaining. Alice Devereux Sicville, a member of Our Stock company, will give an instructive as well as interesting lecture on "Lowell Past and Present." The talk will be accompanied by a number of beautiful illustrations. The photo-plays for the first three days will be of the usual high standard and in addition there will be special views of world-wide events, provided exclusively to this theatre by the American P.T. associations.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the programme has secured at extra cost, the most wonderful play-piece ever produced. It's entitled "Arrah-Na-Pome," It is an Irish drama in three acts. It is produced by the Kalem company and is listed as that concern's best effort. Don't miss it. Friday night selections from the opera "The Jolly Roger" will be featured by the orchestra.

## UNION MEETING

OF LOCAL DIVISIONS OF A. O. H.  
TO BE HELD

The regular monthly meeting of the members of the Central council, A. O. H., was held yesterday afternoon in Hibernian hall. There was a large attendance and considerable business was transacted. During the course of the meeting the council decided that an annual meeting of the divisions be held on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 17.

This meeting will be a very important one, as it will be the last of this year and the closing up of this year's business. The council also decided to have a joint installation of officers of all the divisions on Wednesday evening, January 15, 1912, at which the installing officers will be the state and county presidents. There will also be address, songs by well-known members of the order.

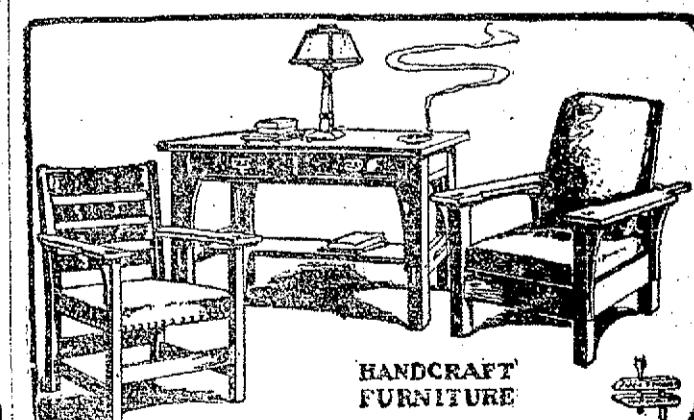
## 500 DETECTIVES

## ENGAGED TO WORK IN BIG RETAIL STORES IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Five hundred trained detectives have been assigned to the big retail stores in the loop district to watch for shoplifting during the Christmas shopping season. Three hundred of these are city detectives and most of them started work with the opening of the stores today. Two hundred more represent private agencies, many among them being women.

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## 75 NEW MEMBERS

Were Initiated Into the C.  
M. A. C. Yesterday

The first real work of the members of the C. M. A. C. in the recruiting contest organized a few weeks ago, was shown yesterday afternoon, when at a special meeting held in their clubhouse in Pawtucket street, 75 new members were initiated into the society.



NADIEH DELISLE  
President C. M. A. C.

The meeting was attended by over 500 members of the organization as well as several Oblate fathers of the parish, among them being Rev. Henri Watelle, O. M. I., pastor; Rev. Joseph Lefebvre, O. M. I., assistant pastor; Rev. Jerome Ouellette, O. M. I., chaplain of the C. M. A. C.; and Rev. Fr. Brillard, O. M. I., D. D.

The meeting was called to order by President Xavier Delisle at 2 o'clock and after the usual reports the ceremony of initiation was begun. The 75 candidates were duly initiated into the society and then it was announced that probably as large a number would be initiated at the next regular meeting.

The ceremony was followed by an elaborate program of speeches, vocal and instrumental selections; those taking part being: Rev. Frs. Watelle, Ouellette, Lefebvre and Brillard, O. M. I., who in turn congratulated the members of the order for their good work since the founding of the association, and they urged them to continue the recruit work for it meant a lot both to the society and the young men of the parish. The musical program consisted of piano solos by Victor Achin, Joseph Beaulieu and Hector Parmentier; songs, Homer L. P. Tercote and George Carpenter; and an address of welcome by the president. A light luncheon was served.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the special meeting was composed of the following: Eugene Savard, president; Olivier Desautels, secretary; Eugene Beaupre, Henri Simard, Albert Guillaud, and Xavier Delisle, ex-officio.

The next regular meeting of the association will be held Tuesday evening at which time the nomination of officers will take place. The election which is done according to the Australian ballot system will be held on the third Tuesday in December, while the installation will take place at the first meeting in January.

The recruiting contest will last until January at which time it is expected the membership roll will pass the 800 mark. The members are out inducing their friends to join and to make things easier for them, the initiation fees were suspended during the said contest.

## ANNUAL RALLY

OF JUNIOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY WAS HELD

The annual rally of the Junior Christian Endeavor society was held at the First Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mildred McKnight, superintendent of junior work in the Lowell C. E. union, presided, and Miss Annie Wyke acted as secretary. The roll call showed 187 members present from various societies, the leading societies in attendance being the First Baptist, with 67; Gorham Street M. E. 12, and the First Presbyterian with 31.

Frank J. Spoorer, president of the Lowell C. E. union, was the first speaker, extending a hearty welcome to those present and dwelling briefly on the importance of the junior work.

The members of the Gorham Street P. M. church society sang the "Junior Endeavor Song," which number was followed with a recitation of the first psalm by the Highland Congregational and the Paige Street F. B. societies.

There was a song by the society of the First Presbyterian church, including a solo by Miss Ruth Jameson. First Baptist Juniors had the following program: Song by the society, "There's a Royal Banner Given for Display"; reading, "The Lighthouse Keeper"; Earl Spalding solo, "I'm Only a Little Christian"; Bertha Hunt, The First Trinitarian society recited in unison the Ten Commandments.

The speaker of the afternoon was Rev. George F. Kenngott, pastor of the First Trinitarian church.

PRES. HENRY CAVE

ADDRESSED THE LOCAL STATIONARY ENGINEERS

The local stationary engineers and their friends gathered at the hall of the Lowell, No. 17, N. A. S., 57 Market street, Friday evening and listened to a very interesting and instructive lecture on the autogenous process of welding all kinds of metal, and the cutting of wrought iron and steel. This lecture was given by Henry Cave, president of the Autogenous Welding company of Springfield.

A large number of stereopticon views were shown during the lecture, and later in the evening the lecturer gave a demonstration of the uses of the process showing the cutting of steel safety pipes and the welding of cast iron and steel and aluminum.

Other lectures on engineering subjects will be given during the winter, and all engineers, firemen and mechanics are cordially invited to

attend.

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Made up of samples and a few Sealed Sweaters, were \$3.98 and \$5.00 Saturday.

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\$15.00 RACCOON MUFFS, \$10.00

We purchased all the manufacturer had of these Muffs and have marked them \$10.00. All perfect goods. Today, \$10.00 Each

#### For Today Only

Any of our regular \$1.98 House Dresses will be sold for \$1.49 all day today. Tuesday they will be \$1.98 again.

"Along about this time, prepare for snow."—Quoted from the Farmers' Almanac.

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Men's Storm King Boots, heavy weight, dull finish, Sale Price.....\$3.98

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**SHOT TAME DUCK REV. ASA R. DILTS****Two Men Were Fined in Court Today**

Charles Sprout, an elderly man minus his left arm, and Chester Barker, aged about 19 years, both of Billerica, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning on a complaint charging them with the hunting of a domesticated bird—duck—it being alleged that one of them shot the bird while the other had it in his possession, when apprehended by Millie Satter, the owner of the duck, and Carlos Fordham.

According to the testimony of the Satter woman, she owned a number of ducks, which were in a brook in the rear of her property in Billerica and that on the 25th of November as a result of what she heard she found that one of her white Pekin ducks was missing. She met Carlos Fordham who informed her that a couple of men had been shooting at her ducks and that one had been killed.

She entered Mr. Fordham's carriage at his invitation and making their way towards the brook found Sprout and Barker. Sprout had a gun in his hand and the young man had the duck in his canvas coat. She asked him to produce the bird, which he did and upon examination found that it had been shot through the wing and leg.

Officer Frank Bartlett of Billerica testified that he learned of the shooting and questioned Sprout who said he knew nothing about the duck, that he hadn't had a gun in his hand for two years and don't know the name of the boy who was with him when the duck was taken by the Satter woman. Witness said that the Satter woman was willing to settle the matter without going to court but that Sprout refused to settle.

The complainant was recalled and she said that after receiving the duck she told young Barker that he was a mean scamp whereupon Barker ran away. Later Barker's brother called upon her and paid her \$6.25 for the duck, but she informed him that the matter had been reported to the police and was out of her hands.

Neither Sprout nor Barker had anything to say, but before sentence was passed Sprout arose and said that while he had the gun in his possession when the Satter woman and Mr. Fordham put in an appearance, that he did not shoot the bird.

The court found both men guilty and ordered Sprout to pay a fine of \$15 and to the youth of Barker he was placed in the custody of the probation officer for one year.

**Drunken Offenders**

Thomas Mahoney was charged with drunkenness and he entered a plea of guilty but owing to the fact that he had given a variety of names from the time he was arrested until he appeared in court the judge decided to put the case over until tomorrow in order to ascertain if the man has a record.

John J. Welch and Amalie McCabe were each sentenced to two months in jail. Frank Fowler was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail.

Thomas J. Corr, John J. Dolan, Matthew Moyer, Xavier Therleau, Jas. Lynch, William P. Warren and Mary Seymour were found guilty of drunkenness and each was ordered to pay a fine of \$5.

There were two first offenders who were fined \$2 each and the nine simple drunks were released before the opening of court.

**Case Continued**

The case of Pierre Savignac charged with neglect of wife was continued till December 4.

**SLIGHT FIRES****THAT REQUIRED THE ATTENTION OF THE DEPARTMENT**

A portion of the fire department was called to the vicinity of Westford and Elm streets, beyond Tyler park yesterday afternoon at 4:40 o'clock in progress. The blaze was extinguished before any damage was done.

**Telephone Alarm**

Saturday night at 7:07 o'clock a telephone alarm summoned a portion of the fire department to a dump fire in Tanner street. The blaze was speedily extinguished.

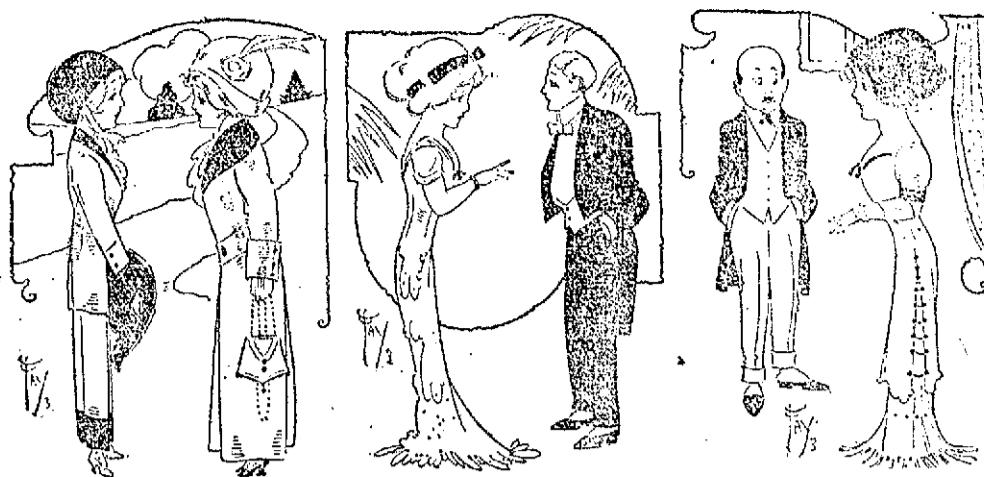
**Fire in High Street**

The members of the High street engine company were called to 50 High street this morning where a fire was caused by meat on a stove becoming overheated and burning produced considerable smoke. The fire was extinguished without loss other than to the meat. The building is the property of the estate of Albert G. Thompson.

**THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE**

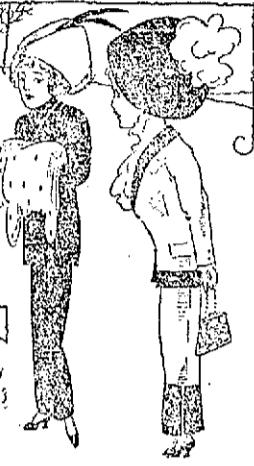
MARY AT IT AGAIN.  
Mary had a chicken small,  
And she thought it immense  
When the waiter handed her a check  
For a dollar and ninety cents.

Find the waiter.  
ANSWER TO SATURDAY'S PUZZLE,  
Right side down, head just above pitcher.

**A LITTLE NONSENSE****OF COURSE NOT.**

"Why, he even imprinted a kiss upon my lips."

"But that kind of printing doesn't show."

**THE IDEA!**

"And her mean husband thinks she's extravagant."

"Why?"

"Just because she insists on having

the boy's monogram stamped on his dog biscuits."



**SHE KNEW.**  
"I proposed to Miss Nomer, and Miss Chance was in good opinion I esteem, says I'm a fool."

"Well, propose to Miss Chance, and she will think you have lucid moments."

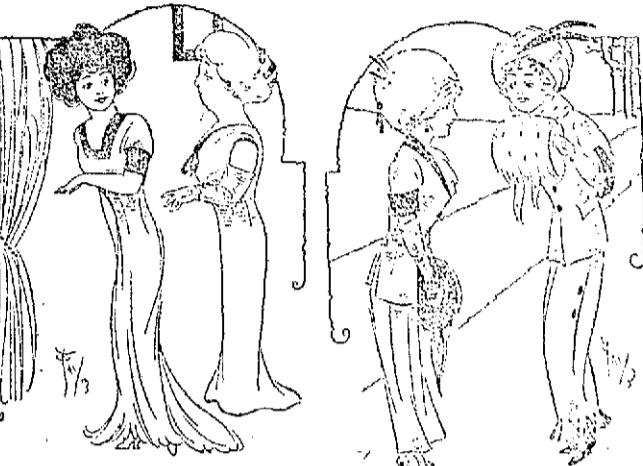
"Husband, were you really visiting a friend last night?"

"I was."

"And was he really sick?"

"He was; and no wonder. He never won a pot."

**VERY SICK.**

**HOW INNOCENT.**

"Cora, I was shocked to see young Hugger kiss you as I passed the parlor door last night. Whatever induced him to take such a liberty with you?"

"I don't know, mother, unless it was because I dared him to."

**COASTED HER.**

"I must have made a hit at the church yesterday. Everybody seemed to be talking about me."

"They talked still more about you after you left."

**HELP WANTED**

**WANTED**

**BOARDERS AND ROOMERS WANTED.**

Rooms \$1 and up hot and cold water. Meals \$2.00 and \$2.50. First Weston House, 63 Brookings st., First street above Merrimack St. theatre. Letters for sign.

**BABY CARRIAGE WANTED.** MUST

be in good condition. Give description and price. Write D. E. P. Sun office.

**ROOMERS AND BOARDERS WANTED.**

Mrs. McGregor pays all attention to personal guests; has a first class hotel, clean steam heat, electric light, heating to rental. It can be found in Lowell for the price charged. Gents \$2.50; ladies \$2.00. Bathes with hot and cold water. All are housekeepers and accommodate. If you feel homesick go to the Quincy House, 33 Lee st.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Bertha H. Colman, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased. Intestate. The estate is to be sold at public auction by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and are requested to give notice of the same to the undersigned, to whom payment may be made upon return to John J. Russell, Attn. William D. Regan, Attorney, November 27, 1911.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Probate Court.

To the next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John Edward and George A. Bowes, Jr., of Lowell, in said County, minors.

Whereas Joseph B. Rowe, the guardian of said minors, has presented his petition for license to sell certain real property, situated in Lowell, in said State, of such an amount, as to be held at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, to be granted, to be held at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Otis Gray, Jr., of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased, to wit, Charles Otis Gray, Jr., of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock. In the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering it to you, or to such of your four sons, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, to be granted, to be held at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

**SAFETY RAZOR BLADES OF ALL KINDS**

sharpened. Giletti's a specialty: 25¢ each. Harry Gonzales, The Cut, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

**INFORMATION WANTED**

WILL THE PARTY WHO RE-

turned the Irish setter to H. Hill, 63 Gege st., either call or write me his name to receive reward.

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orders of Men and Women. Hydrocele,

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# CONGRESS MET TODAY

## Hundreds Unable to Gain Admission at Opening of Session

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The Senate and house of congress convened at noon today. Practically every member of each house was in his seat. The galleries were crowded and hundreds of people were unable to gain admission. The expected speech of Representative Littleton of New York regarding the steel trust question was the sensational incident featuring the opening day of congress.

There was a hurry in the house just

## IT IS SIMPLY MARVELOUS

The Good Derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Patient Gained Thirty-eight Pounds In Less than Two Months.

Business Men in Town Know About the Case.

BARRE FORGE, Pa.—"There is no other medicine in the world that I know so much about, and am so glad to recommend, as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The good it has been to me is simply marvelous. I suppose I was one of the greatest sufferers from indigestion and liver troubles. In eight months I lost 62 pounds, and my strength ran down so that I was scarcely able to walk about the house. I was misery to myself and all about me. I looked terrible, and my friends thought I could only live a short time. Indeed, I made up my mind to this myself.

"I tried some of our best physicians here in Huntington, but with no avail, until one of the doctors pre-

scribed Hood's Sarsaparilla. I made up my mind to give it a fair trial. I began to take it the 1st of January, and in six days I knew it was doing me good; for I began to relish food, and from that time on the gain was more rapid. It increased in weight, gaining 38 pounds in less than two months. That tired feeling was away, and I feel almost as well as I ever did in my life. I can eat with sleep well, and in fact feel that I am a new man.

"Neighbors have talked wonderfully about the change in my condition, and they know it was due to Hood's Sar-

saparilla. Several of the business men of this town, postmaster and other neighbors and friends, who know about my case will certify to the facts I have stated." Harrison Hump.

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects its won-

derful cures, not simply because it contains sarsaparilla, but because it combines the utmost remedial values of more than twenty different ingre-

dients. There is no real substitute.

Get Hood's Sarsaparilla today in the

usual liquid form, or in the chocolate

tablets called Sarsatabs,

If you want help at home or in your

business, try The Sun "Want" column.

### TEAMS ARE TIED

#### FOR THE FIRST PLACE IN MACHINERY SHOP LEAGUE

The Machine Shop and Yard teams of the Machine Shop league are now tied for first position, each team having won 15 and lost 9 points. The Kinson quintet is in third place and the Office and Drafting Room teams are tied for fourth with the Foundry being fifth bringing up the lower rank of the ladder.

Langevin of the Kinson team is high man in the individual standing.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Machinery Shop	15	9	62.5
Yard	15	9	62.5
Kinson	14	10	58.3
Office	12	12	50.0
Drafting Room	12	12	50.0
Foundry	4	20	16.7

Average over 80 who have bowled in nine or more games:

Bowler's Room, Strings Ave.

Leach, Kilson

Conley, Kilson

Chase, Room

Barker, Office

Slocum, D. Room

Stevens, M. Room

Fleming, Yards

Marshall, Yards

Herrick, Kinson

Smith, M. shop

O'Neill, Office

Shaw, M. shop

Welcome, Yards

Goodchild, D. Room

Mitchell, Office

Murray, Yards

McKeevee, Office

Greene, Kinson

Kimball, Office

Boardman, Yard

Dana, D. Room

Wen, Lost P. C.

Machine Shop

Yard

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Office

Drafting Room

Foundry

### THIMBLE CLUB PARTY

Delightful Dance in High-land Club Hall

A short time ago the members of the Highland Thimble club, composed of several young matrons of that section of the city, during a lull in the business of "stitch, stitch, stitch," conversationally reverted to the days not long since when all were still in a state of single blessedness, and the times they were wont to have in those days when periodically they received and accepted an invitation to attend a party given by the famous old Bachelor club, whose select dances in Present hall were among the society events of the passing seasons and which drew friends from far and near by reason of their fame. Then of course the question was asked: "What became of the Bachelors?" and "How could such a popular organization pass out of existence so completely?" The answer shone forth in the crimsoned cheeks of a majority of the matrons, for nearly every one of them was personally responsible for the finish of the club, as each married a member and when finally the membership got down to three lone ones, the latter after waiting a reasonable length of time for some one to come along and accept them, went into executive session and sadly voted to disband for all time with best wishes for those who had "gone before."

"My husband can dance as well as ever," said one of the party.

"Mine never could dance until I married him and I showed him how," said another.

"Let's hold a party and get the old crowd together again," suggested a chorus.

And the result was that the Highland Thimble club experimented with a party in the Highland club hall last Saturday night with such success that at its conclusion the members voted to continue to hold similar parties during the winter season. Keeping close to old traditions, Hibbard's orchestra, which played for all the Bachelor parties, was on hand and "Joe" in his program interjected a few of the old favorite airs. There were about 60 couples present, including several guests from out-of-town and they enjoyed themselves in the highest degree until the midnight hour and the future success of the Highland Thimble club's parties is assured. During intermission ices were served. The ladies in charge of the party were: Mrs. Garfield A. Davis, Mrs. Fred H. Cole, Mrs. William M. Greig; Mrs. Albert G. McCurdy, Mrs. Charles O. Allen, Mrs. Harry Howard, Mrs. James Walsh, Mrs. Dexter G. Merrill and Mrs. Harold R. Carr.

One of the colored men, he has sat next to the clock at the opening of congress for every session in the last 16 years. He must be dead."

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### TONIGHT

The Only Visit to Lowell of Louis N. Parker's Masterpiece

### "POOMER WALK"

Cast and Production Same as Boston and New York

Prices, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50¢, 50¢, 25¢.

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### TUESDAY, DEC. 5

Charles Frohman Presents

### MAUDE ADAMS in ROSTAND'S CHATELEUR

Prices, 50¢ to \$2.

Telephone Orders Suspended

### WED. AND THURS. DEC. 6-7

Matinee Thursday

The Merry Maid Extravaganza

Burly Watson and Co. of Forty

### THE CAT AND THE FIDDLE

Prices—Night 25¢ to \$1. Mat. 15¢, 10¢, 50¢

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MATINEE THURSDAY

Charles A. Sellon's Merry Musical Extravaganza and

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20 Novelties 19 Gorgeous Scenes 40 Clever Sluggers and Dancers 21 New Song Hits

And a chorus of beauty and charm. Two hours and one-half of fun and frolic. Sixty smiles a minute.

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# ELKS HONOR DEPARTED



MICHAEL J. MARKHAM,  
Exalted Ruler.

JOHN H. CULL,  
Secretary.

## Beautiful Services at Opera House Last Evening

The annual memorial services by Lowell Lodge, No. 87, R. P. O. E., were held in the Opera House, last evening, and were of the usual beautiful and impressive nature.

The services were in memory of the departed brother of the lodge, with special reference to the seven brothers who have departed this life within a year. Every seat in the theatre was taken while many late arrivals were turned away, unable to secure admittance.

The stage was beautifully decorated, the front being lined with potted

plants and cut flowers while the chancel was covered with an American flag. The background was of black with a white canvas in the center on which were thrown likenesses of the seven members who have died within a year. On the table in the front were seven lighted candles and as Secretary John H. Cull called the roll of the dead, the candles were extinguished as each name was called by Esquire John P. Farley while taps were sounded.

This ceremony which was most impressive was preceded by the opening number on the program, Chopin's

funeral march played by the Elks orchestra.

The seven members who died within the year were:

Albert G. Thompson, died February 6, 1911, aged 58 years.

Edgar C. Massie, died March 20, 1911, aged 35 years.

Harry L. Timmons, died March 26, 1911, aged 36 years.

George A. Deacut, died April 4, 1911, aged 60 years.

Phil A. Williams, died July 14, 1911, aged 49 years.

Charles N. Shepard, died July 14, 1911, aged 39 years.

Charles E. Howe, died July 23, 1911, aged 66 years.

At the conclusion of the roll call a quartet composed of Miss Mac Whitley, Mrs. F. L. Roberts, Harry Hopkins and James E. Donnelly sang "Some Blessed Duty" by Barnaby.

Rev. C. E. Fisher, D. D., of the First Universalist church offered prayer after which Mr. Hopkins sang the "Angels' Serenade" by Bragge with violin obbligato by Prof. Emil J. Borjes.

The eulogy was then delivered by Judge Edward H. O'Brien, D. D., G. E. R., of Salem Lodge which appears below.

James E. Donnelly sang "The Light of Heaven's Own Day;" Mrs. Roberts sang "There is a Land" and Miss Whitley rendered "I Trust in God." The closing solo, "Calvary," by Redney was given by Mr. Thomas E. Clifford, the eminent Boston baritone whose magnificent voice and artistic expression brought out the matchless beauty of this grand selection. Rev. Dr. Fisher gave benediction.

Judge O'Brien's Address

Judge O'Brien spoke in part as follows:

Exalted Ruler, Brother Elks and Invited Guests:

Another year has passed into history. Once again we are assembled in common with more than 360,000 Elks in all parts of our country, to pay our tributes of love and respect to the sacred memory of those who are at rest. Another year has added its quota to our list of honored dead. A few more have reached the end of life's journey. In this transition we should have no cause to mourn, for it is hard to believe, when we drap the mantle of charity around a brother, that the Supreme Ruler will do less.

It is good to live in such a way that each day adds to the ties of cherished friendship; it is good to live in such a manner that material blessings surround us; it is good to live and labor and strive for those who are nearest and dearest; it is good to live and be a part of that great brotherhood which each day blots from its memory every trace of sin and mistake, and cherishes only that which is good.

Fragile fern and fragrant flower are beautiful to the eye, but summer's hot blasts turn them to earth; we view with admiration the tall poplar and the stately sycamore, which, by the grace of nature's favored spots, are enabled to attain their highest development in a few seasons; but we bow our heads in reverence before the sturdy oak on the rolling hillside, the rocky ridge and the arid plateau, scorched though it be by countless whiffs of wind and weather.

In the great universal plant it is not intended that man be perfect. To do wrong has been made easy, to do right the reverse; to live is to struggle against the evils that confront us on every side; to live is to yield to temptation's wiles; to live is to be scarred by the faults of human kind; to live is to know our own frailties and to forget those of our brother; for those passed away, to live is to know that the sins forgotten here are forgiven over there.

Life is infinite; government, institutions, fraternities are finite. The great government, whose queen opened the treasure vaults and started the small fleet across the trackless waste, thereby opening a new world and in the end making possible our country our flag, our fraternity, is today in a state of disorder and decay.

How soon its work shall have been completed, how soon this great fraternity will crumble and fall, none can tell. Come how soon it may, it will have given to future generations a motto which can never suffice. With every final roll call a tablet is added to the monument of upright manhood and the sand is scattered at its base. As this monument rears itself on high, so does it raise the standard of human life.

It is based upon the golden rule: "Do unto others as you would they should do unto you."

The philosophy of the Elks teaches that pleasure and propriety, merriment and morals, recreation and business, should go tripping hand in hand; that serious concern should not so engross our lives as to banish that social relaxation and good fellowship which makes life worth living, and that standard by which man should be judged ought to be what he is, and not what he possesses.

The almost phenomenal growth of the order during its comparatively short existence, and the splendid per-

manent record of its membership is conclusive evidence of its inherent merit and most eloquently proclaims to all the desirability of being numbered among its members.

It is a matchless propaganda for the diffusion of manly exalted ideas, and its history is star-gemmed with noble, generous deeds.

Its glorious past is secure, safe

against the erasure and tooth of time, and born of that unshakable faith that I have in it is the prophecy that the future will brighten and endure as long as nobility of purpose and the desire to make the world better and brighter, find lodgment in the hearts of men.

Roll of Departed

Members who have died in years other than the present, are as follows:

Albert D. Wright Edward B. Towne

Wm. D. Peacock John H. Conroy

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John H. Fuller Henry G. Cushing

C. T. Chamberlain Wm. F. Courtney

Frank H. Ford Chas. W. Mayotte

J. J. Coggeshall John M. Purcell

Daniel Hayes Charles Howard

Patrick J. Savage Cleveland

Cyrus C. Gilbert Chas. P. Hackett

John A. Sheppard Chas. W. Cheney

Arthur E. Peacock Fred J. Daney

George W. Curtis John W. Purcell

L. Frank Howard T. J. McLaughlin

Geo. A. Thadum Fred M. Beede

Michael H. Shea James W. Barry

James W. Bennett Thomas A. Coffey

John W. Coffey Edw. W. House

James W. Coffey Fred Teague

John J. Hogan Dennis Finnegan

Robert E. Section John F. Herrick

Edw. W. Cahill John W. Marion

Riley Davis Peter A. Quinn

John W. Tilton John W. Sullivan

Channing Abbott Chas. E. Bates

Edw. G. Cahill Geo. W. Sturtevant

Henry Boott Richard H. Casey

Dr. G. P. Madden Guo. W. Cassidy

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# Somebody's Folly

What folly it is to select our wheat—

Then wash and brush and scour it—

Then grind it 20 times—

Then sift it 10 times through silk.

What folly it is if, by all these precautions, we don't get a flour that is better than others.

But, if we do get it, what folly it is for housewives not to insist on this Gold Medal Flour.

Which of us makes the mistake?

**Gold Medal Flour** has come to outsell every other flour in existence.

Just because we take those precautions.

And because millions of housewives, after countless comparisons, have discovered the merit of Gold Medal Flour.

Now they use in their baking just this cream of the flour—just these sifted-out granules—just



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sions tomorrow there will be addressed by clergymen from the several New England states.

**REV. C. E. FISHER**

HAS PREACHED SIXTEEN YEARS AT FIRST UNIVERSALIST

Yesterday marked the 17th anniversary of Rev. C. E. Fisher, D. D., as pastor of the First Universalist church, and at the morning service he told what his years of labor in one congregation had meant to him. At the evening service the Boston male quartet furnished a fine musical service.

**Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP**

The child feverish with a cold, running nose, tight or loose cough with wheezing or rattling of phlegm as it breathes, mothers put your ear to child's back or chest and listen should have Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP.

No Morphine or Chloroform in it. It's the only right medicine to give. 25c.

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# LOSS IS \$1,000,000

## Plant of United States Express Co. at Jersey City Destroyed

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 4.—The principal plant of the United States Express Co. for the service of New York city and vicinity was swept by fire early today and practically the whole delivery equipment, consisting of 400 horses and several hundred wagons, was destroyed. The plant occupied nearly a whole block bounded by Eighth and Henderson streets and Pavonia avenue. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000. Fred Okray, the night watchman, who gave the alarm, could not be found after the flames subsided and he probably lost his life trying to rescue some of the horses.

The fire started in the manure pit and soon gained such headway that five alarms were rung in and at one time it was thought that help would be needed from New York. During the day more than a thousand men and women are employed in the building but when the fire broke out only 15 stablemen were there to care for the horses. These succeeded in releasing records kept since the business was

driven out by the dense smoke. The flames soon were soaring to the roof and ignited several wooden tenements across the street. The ironmen had the building well surrounded when one of the hoses gave way and three men were caught in the falling masonry and several injured. The fire was not under control until about five o'clock and it burned fiercely during the rest of the afternoon.

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## LOWELL HIGH BEATEN

### Waltham Lads Were Too Strong for the Local Boys

Waltham High clashed with Lowell High in a post season game at Waltham Saturday afternoon, and won by the score of 22 to 0.

The open style of attack which has marked the playing of the Waltham eleven this season brought home the victory. Try as it would the Lowell defense could not smash up the forward passes and open formation plays of Waltham.

For the greater part of the contest Lowell played on the defensive, and only once during the game were at all in territory dangerous to Waltham. The Spindly City tacklers were unable to stem the overwhelming rushes of Cobb, the big Waltham tackle, when he was given the ball, and he gained anywhere from ten to thirty yards.

Long runs by Waltham were the rule rather than the exception. Whenever the ball fell into the hands of any of the Waltham backfield on a kickoff or a punt it was brought back almost to where it was kicked from. Both Fagan and Pendlebury pulled off some pretty flying tackles. Trull, who was at right end for Lowell, showed speed in the last period.

Less than two minutes after the first period had commenced Waltham scored. It took only five plays to send the ball across. Cobb ran twenty-five yards in the play which followed the kickoff and a forward pass, Moody to Fagan to Pendlebury, added twenty yards more. Cobb and Healey failed

to gain on line plays with the ball on the one-yard line. Day, who was at quarterback for Waltham, used a bit of strategy and in the next play dove through the line, barely going over.

There was a scrapping match between Fagan and three Lowell players in the second period when the Waltham end sniped in a punt by Moody and started down the field. He got the better of the race and put the ball squarely behind the goal posts. Pendlebury scored by a 40-yard run after a forward pass thrown to him by Cunningham. Another forward pass in the last period, Fagan to Cobb, brought a touchdown.

#### Waltham High

Fagan, 10; Kearsley, 1, t.; Johnson, 1, g.; James, 1; Kearsley, 1, t.; Pendlebury, 1, g.; Clegg, 1; Clark, 1; Higginson, 1; Carter, 1; Day, 1, p.; Healey, 1, h.; Moody, 1, f.; Score—Waltham High 22, Lowell 0. Attendance—4000. Touchdowns—Day, Fagan, Pendlebury, Cobb, Goals from touchdown—Fagan 2, Linesman—Coughlin, Referee—Ingraham, Umpires—Christie, O'Brien. Time—Four 12-minute periods.

#### Lowell High

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#### IRISH MARTYRS

#### SOCCER FOOTBALL

Y. M. C. A. and Lawrence Teams Evenly Matched

Over 400 members of the Celtic Associates of the United Irish societies met at their hall, 32 Middle st., to commemorate the 4th anniversary of the execution of the Manchester martyrs, Allen, Larkin and O'Brien. The spacious hall was overcrowded and even in the large ante rooms space was at a premium. The hall was elegantly decorated in Irish and American colors. James O'Sullivan, of this city, presided. He outlined in a forcible address the lessons taught by the sacrifices of the men whose memory they met to honor. He then introduced the principal speaker of the day, Richard J. McNamee of the Morning Call. Paterson, N. J., who spoke in a most interesting manner of the observance of the day, setting forth the devotion of the martyrs to the cause of Irish freedom, their condemnation by the laws that put to death the Manchester martyrs without due regard for the evidence in their defense, that robbed Ireland of her liberty through the violated treaty and the taking away of her parliament by bribery. That a measure of home rule is but a part of what rightfully belongs to Ireland. The resolutions further set forth the position of the society to any enlarging alliance between the United States and England which was designated a breeder of war.

**NORTH BILLERICA**

The feast of St. Andrew was observed at St. Andrew's church in North Billerica yesterday with services at eight and ten o'clock in the morning and 6:30 o'clock at night. There was a large attendance of members of the parish at the different services and Rev. Patrick Phelan, O. M. I., of Tewksbury, officiated at the eight o'clock mass and Rev. Fr. Hunnell, O. M. I., of the novitiate, at the high mass at ten o'clock. The members of the choir of St. Andrew's church tendered Miss Margaret Connolly a reception Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cox. Miss Connolly is a member of the choir and the occasion of the surprise was that Miss Connolly is to leave this week for England. During the evening vocal selections were rendered by Charles E. Fairbrother, William H. O'Brien, John T. Fairbrother, and Nicholas Connolly and piano numbers by Miss Etta Hoar and Miss Jessie Cox. Refreshments, including tea and cake, were served the company by Misses Alice, Margaret and Jessie Cox.

**MATRIMONIAL**

Mr. Martin A. Murray and Miss Catherine M. Clancy were married Wednesday afternoon at St. Peter's rectory, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Dr. Kelsher. The couple were attended by Dollie M. Clancy, sister of the bride, and Mr. Michael J. Gilligan as best man.

A reception was held at their future home, 1830 Central street. They were the recipients of many beautiful gifts. At present they are enjoying a brief honeymoon in New York.



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## DETECTIVE BURNS

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McNamara, I believe that Gompers knew all the time that McNamara was guilty."

### Prepare for Prosecutions

Mr. Burns yesterday conferred with Dist. Atty. Charles W. Miller on matters that will, according to announcement, lead to the prosecution of persons alleged to be involved in Los Angeles dynamiting plots. Both Miller and Burns refused to divulge the nature of the interview further than to admit the McNamara case was the topic of discussion.

Although neither of the principals in the conference would admit it, it is believed that the information which the district attorney's office has not heretofore had was brought to Indianapolis by Mr. Burns. The detective visited during the day the home of the National Association of Manufacturers, where he met John Kleby, Jr., of Dayton, O., president of that organization.

"Did you give Mr. Miller any evidence in the McNamara case other than what he already had?" Mr. Burns was asked.

"Well, I would not like to say to that; we talked of the McNamara case," Mr. Burns replied. "The government has taken up this case after a thorough investigation of it, and you know the federal authorities would not have gone into it unless there was strong likelihood of there being a serious investigation to be made."

### Dynamiters Imprisoned

"The federal authorities have learned that the whole trains travelling over the United States have been in danger of being blown to eternity by the carrying of dynamite and nitroglycerine by these men—the two McNamaras and McManigal—and it was after learning of this that the department of justice decided to take it up."

Mr. Burns was questioned regarding a recent article in the Editorial Review written by Mr. Kirby.

"What would you say with reference to Mr. Kirby's article that, if the trial at Los Angeles proceeded without the plea of the McNamaras, the evidence would lead into the ranks of the Federation of Labor?"

He avoided the question by replying: "There would have been very interesting developments in Los Angeles if the trial had proceeded," then launching into his criticism of Samuel Compers.

From Indianapolis Mr. Burns said he was going to Cleveland, and from there to New York, and that he probably would be back in Indianapolis during the present week. He said he expects to go to the Pacific coast shortly, all of his travels being in connection with the McNamara case.

### Predicts Early Clean-up

He said he and the others who are interested in the McNamara case expect to continue the investigation until the whole matter is cleared up. He predicted that it would not be so very long until the investigation would come to an end, although he would not fix any definite time.

"I am no respecter of persons," he said, "and I expect to go to the bottom of this until everyone connected with these dynamiting outrages has been prosecuted."

While talking of the prosecution, Mr. Burns praised Dist. Atty. Miller, saying he was one of the most zealous and competent prosecutors in the government service, and that he is so regarded by the department of justice. He said he was not surprised when he learned that the McNamara brothers had decided to plead guilty, although he declared he had no advanced information that they were to do so.

Mr. Burns asserted he was particularly pleased at the outcome of the case, and that it has been shown the men are guilty on account of the criticism that was heaped upon Gov. Marshall and the Indianapolis police department in honoring the requisition paper for the departure of John J. McNamara from this city.

### To Fix Responsibility

J. A. G. Badorf, representing the National Erectors' Association, which employed Detective Burns, arrived here yesterday.

The fact that two men are to be punished for dynamiting is not the most important feature of this investigation," said Mr. Badorf. "The members of the National Erectors' association are interested chiefly in exposing and bringing to justice the persons responsible for 100 explosions destructive of bridge and structural iron work since August, 1906, in many streets from Massachusetts to the Pacific coast.

The property destroyed was that of companies employing non-union iron workers. The cost of this campaign of terrorism was enormous, and it was systematically carried on. We assert that a number of men besides the McNamaras were concerned, and we propose to assist in every way in uncovering them. We shall lend every assistance to the federal authorities, and we have every assurance that the investigation will be most thorough."

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### BIRTHDAY PARTY

At his home 67 Thirteenth street, Master George Brennan entertained 25 of his young friends, the occasion being his eighth birthday. There were several games played. There were recitations by Miss Marion Boyle and Miss Agnes Maher; piano solos by Miss Anna McSorley; ice cream, cake, candy and other good things were served.

The dining room was prettily decorated for the occasion. Master George received many pretty gifts from his little friends. Among them was a beautiful birthday cake presented to him by Mrs. Michael Connolly.

Routs for the week are:

Tonight—Battling Nelson vs. Gus

Friday—Walter Coffey vs. New York

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# MANY COMPLAINTS About the Condition of Some Streets in the City.

Despite the fact that considerable smooth paving and street repairing has been done this year there was never a time in the city's history when more complaints were heard about the condition of streets than at the present time. "Why don't you say something about the condition of Butman road?" said a resident of that section to a reporter for The Sun. The reporter said he hadn't traversed Butman road for many months and did not know of its condition.

"That's what I thought," said the man from Butman road. "Not long ago," he said, "The Sun spoke about a street that was in a condition so horrible as to be a disgrace to the city and I notice that the street was repaired shortly after the article appeared in your paper."

"The street you mentioned was in rough condition but it never had anything on Butman road. Last spring water made a big gulley in the road and it was allowed to remain that way all summer. It was only a few days ago that a stone crusher got stalled between Wentworth avenue and Parkview avenue and the following morning a big auto truck owned by the Lowell Gas Co. got stalled in the same place. The gulley is from 60 to 70 yards long, from one foot to two and one-half feet deep and pursues a diagonal course. A sewer was put in there this summer. The sewer men removed a light top dressing and forgot to put it back again and the result is that when it rains the mud is more than ankle deep."

"An attempt was made to fill the gully with clay, instead of stone and gravel, and the clay filling was responsible for the stalling of the stone crusher and auto truck. I am going to give Sunt, Putnam a piece of my mind when I see him. There are only a few of us out on that end of the road and I suppose the other fellows forget that we are in the land of the living."

The man from Butman road having cast out all that he had in mind about the road told the reporter he hoped that what he said would be published and then he went looking for Mr. Putnam.

## FUNERALS

TIERNEY.—The funeral of Raymond F. Tierney, aged 3 years, son of John and Ida (Glen) Tierney, took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Owing to the cause of death (diphtheria), the funeral was private. Burial took place

in St. Patrick's cemetery. laid on the newly made grave was a spray of pink carnations from the parents.

JESSE.—The funeral of Manuel Jesse, aged 1 year and 4 months, child of Manuel and Maria Jesse, took place this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the home of his parents, 22 Edgewood's court. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

MCCARTHY.—The funeral of the late Miss Hannah McCarthy took place Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from her late home, 45 Wameset street and proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 3:15 o'clock services were read for the repose of the soul by the Rev. W. George Mullin.

The church was filled with friends and relatives of the deceased many coming from Taunton, Providence, Worcester and Boston.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral tributes showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances and among them were the following: Large pillow roses, pinks, chrysanthemums and ferns with the inscription "Auntie" from the nieces and nephews of the deceased; spray of white roses and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah McCarthy and family of Providence, R. I.; spray of roses and asters, Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy; column of roses, pinks and asters surmounted by white dove with the inscription "Sleeping" from the employees of the leading rooms of U. S. Cartridge Co.; standing cross on base of roses, pinks, asters and ferns from the employees of the spinning and warping rooms of the Appleton mills; spray of pinks and chrysanthemums, Misses Alice and Etta Sheehan; spray of white roses and ferns, Miss Nellie Murphy; spray of pinks and roses from the Traylor family; spray of roses, pinks and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carr; spray of white asters and ferns, Misses Julia and Josephine Cronan; spray of asters, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Gardner of Taunton, Mass., spray of pinks from a friend. There were several other sprays from friends.

The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. John Deacon, Thomas Gorman, Frank Golden, Edward Carr, Peter Farrington and Robert Lindsey. The funeral proceeded to St. Patrick's cemetery, burial being in the family lot where the committal prayers were read by the Rev. W. George Mullin. The funeral was largely attended and under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

NORRIS.—The funeral of Miss Katherine Norris took place from 178 First street yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Chamberlain, pastor of St. Anne's church. The bearers were relatives and friends who were in Tyngsboro, in charge of Undertaker J. B. Carrier Co.

GORDON.—The funeral of Robert D. Gordon took place Saturday at one o'clock from the home of E. P. Wiggin, 671 Mammoth road, Rev. Benjamin R. Harris of the Paige Street church officiating. Miss Belle Hutchinson and Mrs. Chester Colburn sang appropriate selections. The bearers were Charles Cutler, Charles Hamblott, James W. Colburn and E. P. Wiggin. Burial was in the family lot in Hudson, N. H. C. M. Young in charge.

SHARKEY.—The funeral of Mr. Michael Sharkey took place this morning from his late home, 17 Newhall street, at 8:30 and proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where a high mass was sung by Rev. Fr. McFornott, O. M. I. at 9 o'clock. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. Among the many floral tributes laid on the grave were the following: Pillow from the family inscribed "Papa"; standing cross inscribed "At Rest" from Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Johnson and family; large wreath on base from the Nonpareil club inscribed "At Rest"; bouquet of chrysanthemums from the Johnson children; spray of tuber roses and carnations, from Mr. John Sharkey and family; spray of chrysanthemums, from the Misses Mollie and Sabrina Cromey; wreath, Misses Lillie and Annie Smith; wreath, Mrs. Nellie Barrows and

family; large wreath of mixed flowers from Mr. John Jennings; spiritual bouquets from Mrs. John Blaine, Mrs. John Quinn, Miss Katie Hickory, Mrs. John Sorley, Mr. V. Ryan.

The bearers were all nephews of deceased as follows: John Sharkey, Chas. Sharkey, Charles J. Sharkey, Ed. St. Ledger, Wm. Connolly and Mr. Charles Sullivan. Interment took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. McFornott. Undertaker J. F. Rogers in charge.

OLDFIELD.—With solemn and impressive services the remains of the late Samuel Oldfield were tenderly consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning.

The funeral, which was very largely attended, took place from his late home, 104 West Sixth street at 3:40 o'clock and proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated for the repose of his soul by Rev. Francis J. Mullin. The choir directed by Mr. Thomas P. Bouger sang the Gregorian mass, the solo being sustained by Miss Margaret Griffin and Mr. Bouger. As the remains were being borne from the church the choir chanted "De Profundis." Miss Carolyn White presided at the organ. There were many beautiful and appropriate floral offerings among them being: A pillow of roses and chrysanthemums inscribed " Husband and Father" from the bereaved family; cross of roses and carnations on base inscribed "Papa" from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Galvin of Somerville, Mass.; standing wreath of chrysanthemums and carnations inscribed "At Rest" from Mr. and Mrs. Peter Murphy of Phoenix, R. I.; wreath of roses with ribbon inscribed "At Rest,"

from Misses Anna and Sarah Thomas; from Mr. John McCann and family; standing wreath of roses and carnations from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Farley and family; spray of roses inscribed on ribbon "With God" from Mrs. Nellie Hunt; Plush company; pillow of roses and chrysanthemums inscribed "W. O. E. No. 223" from the Fraternal Order of Eagles; wreath of roses inscribed

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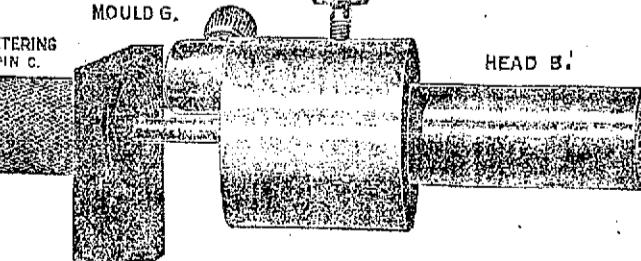
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The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun  
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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

**MUNICIPAL STATISTICS**

The bureau of statistics, of which Charles F. Gettemy is director, has just issued the volume of municipal statistics covering the year from November 30, 1908, to April 1, 1909. It is late in coming to be sure, but nevertheless it is a very interesting volume as showing the comparative expense of departments in the different cities of the state. The cities are grouped according to population and then the general expenses of government are given, affording a good basis of comparing the expenses of municipal government under different heads in the cities and towns of the state. Worcester, Fall River, Lowell and Cambridge form the first group, and it is interesting to note the difference in their net indebtedness and the temporary loans as shown below:

	Indebtedness.	Temporary Loans.
Worcester .....	\$5,225,870.31	\$1,031,028.25
Fall River .....	3,937,096.97	568,000.00
Lowell .....	2,701,100.40	1,300,000.10
Cambridge .....	8,299,397.77	925,000.00

The interest account carried by these cities varies more than their population would lead one to expect; but it should be noted that in this account are included loans for general purposes and loans for public service enterprises. The interest accounts for the four cities of this group with their valuation are as follows:

	Worcester	Fall River	Lowell	Cambridge
General Purposes .....	\$198,450.33	\$191,813.77	\$157,300.55	\$551,465.57
Public service .....	142,211.11	42,500.00	45,422.38	148,345.31
Total .....	\$340,661.44	\$251,314.77	\$202,722.93	\$499,714.88
Valuation: Worcester, \$129,323,426; Fall River, \$86,275,484; Lowell, \$16,415,-702; Cambridge, \$106,851,075.				

**THE IRISH PLAYERS**

Lady Gregory in commenting upon the attack upon the Irish players who presented "The Playboy of the Western World" in New York made this statement to the press:

"You know the Irish are hot-headed. I presume I should have done the same thing these people did if I had been brought up that way. The whole intellect of America is with us. We found the most hearty approval of this play at Harvard, Yale, Vassar, Smith and other colleges. One of the actors just said to me that he was taught in his youth that the vices of Ireland belong to outsiders and her virtues are peculiarly hers."

It would appear from this statement that at least part of the mission of the Irish players is to dramatize the vices of Ireland, a country free from all the serious vices than any other in the world. There was a time when Ireland was addicted to intemperance, but that charge does not apply to the Ireland of today.

This so-called dramatic revival depicts the Irish people and even the Irish girls as glorifying paricide, a crime that is held in utter abhorrence in Ireland. Another thing which the Irish players do to misrepresent the Irish people is the mingling of religion and blasphemy in the dialogue of the plays. It is not infrequent to have one of the characters invoke God and the saints while plotting wickedness, something that is a gross calumny upon the people.

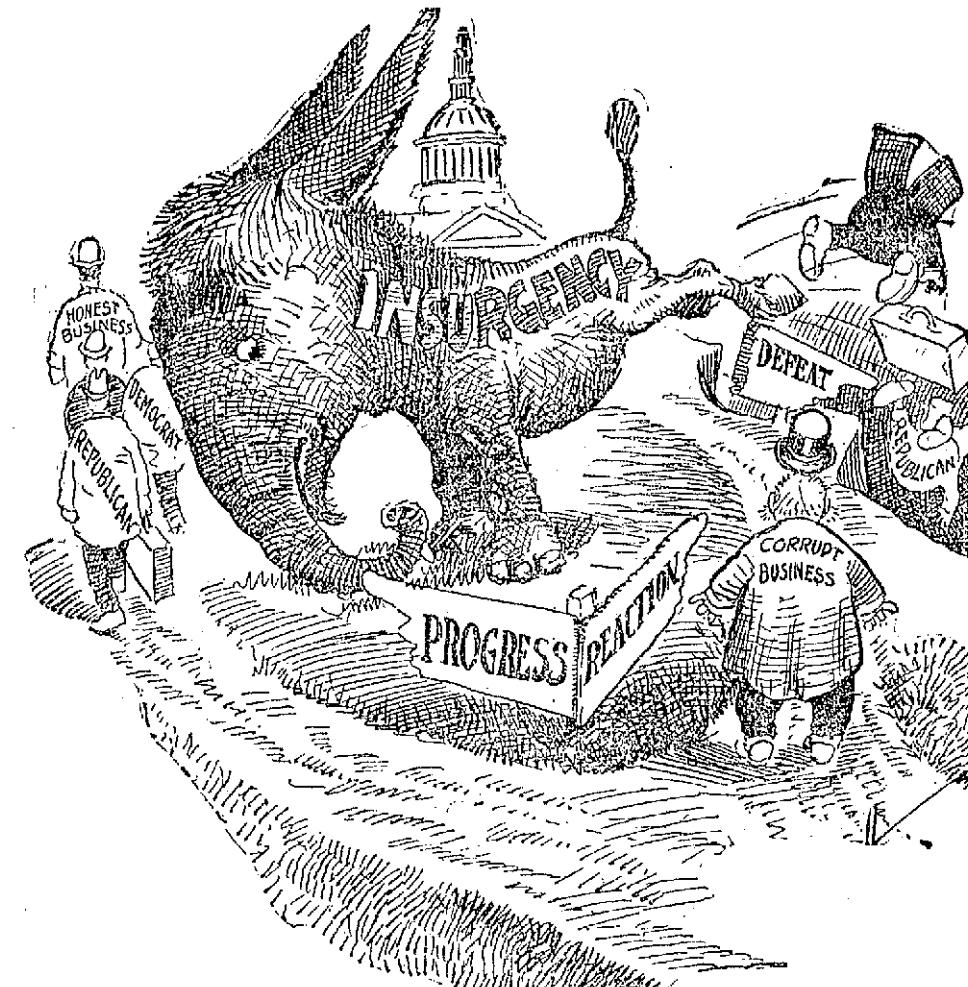
Lady Gregory is mistaken when she thinks she has the intellect of America with her in this business. It is hardly to be expected that Americans will demur if a company of so-called Irish players burlesque and satirize their own nationality. Lady Gregory should understand that it is unfair to represent any nationality by its worst. She is not justified in charging ignorance or hot-headedness to the race that properly resents such an insult. Thus far in her mission she has played to small houses because the plays for the most part represent rags and poverty where they do not positively portray crimes or conditions most repulsive to Irish sentiment and all this without any moral object or lesson that anybody can discern.

**CASES OF JUVENILE DEPRAVITY**

Nothing is more shocking to a civilized community than the conviction of mere youths for wilful and even fiendish murder unless it be the murder itself. In Chicago the other day four men were sentenced to death and two boys of sixteen sent to prison for life for the murder of a truck farmer in the outskirts of Chicago. They attacked their victim for the purpose of taking his money, but although he proffered them everything he had and begged them to spare his life, they beat him to insensibility and then stabbed and shot him to death and threw his body into the brush on the roadside. This was a most cruel murder, and the desperate gang will pay the penalty. The pity of it is, that two mere boys are convicted as participants in the crime as a result of being in the company of bad young men. Many an innocent boy has been drawn into the commission of crimes in this same way. One of the Lynn bandits was a good boy until he fell in with desperadoes.

In less serious matters the same rule holds good. There are many examples of this kind in police court where scores of boys appear at the juvenile session charged with various offenses into which they were led by older companions, by boys addicted to evil ways and who delight in making others as bad as themselves. Their mothers go to court to plead for them; but it is then too late, the harm has been done; the boys as a rule have been corrupted by their associations and through the neglect of their parents to protect them against these dangers.

The present law deals perhaps too lightly with the boys guilty of various offenses; but if such leniency is necessary then the parents should be called to account in order to compel them to keep their boys under greater restraint and especially protect them from becoming part and parcel of the young hoodlum element which is never satisfied except when committing malicious, mischievous or petty depredations, vandalism and the deliberate destruction of property. In this respect things are going from bad to worse, and the time is not far distant when more stringent measures must be adopted to prevent the manufacture of criminals through parental neglect and the operation of a law that protects the erring child until he has become a full-fledged criminal.



THERE'S ONLY ONE SAFE WAY

**SEEN AND HEARD**

There's one good thing about the few eggs that the hens do lay in November. They are always perfectly fresh. Eh, not?

Many a man who has ideas—and good ideas, too, he thinks—about how the country should be run can't keep the furnace fire going regularly through the winter.

New England's great natural ice plants will soon begin working night and day.

The man who takes great pride in his ancestors cannot always be sure that posterity will take great pride in him.

Very likely yours is a good dog, but it is unreasonable for you to expect all the neighbors to have as good an opinion of him as you have yourself.

Even if you don't like the soap while you are using it you have the satisfaction of thinking that in buying it you helped some neighbor's boy get a writing desk.

Perhaps it is true that goat's milk will destroy the craving for strong drink. Some people will tell you that one taste of goat's milk has a tendency to discourage the whole drinking habit.

If a boy always stops and wipes his feet on the door-mat in muddy weather, he has been better brought up than most boys are.

The birds have no reason to be scornful about the aviators. The fledglings often get into trouble when they start to learn to fly.

A NATURE LOVER

I love to watch the sounding sea,  
I love the ocean's roar;

I love the music of the waves  
That eat upon the shore;

I love to watch the moonlight pale,  
So soft, so calm, so still;

I love to see its mystic rays  
On valley, wood, and hill;

I love the lutes of autumn woods,  
The trees in fire dressed;

I love the sunset's rosy glow,  
That gloriess the west;

I love to gaze upon the stars,  
That twinkle in the night;

I love the boraless bora;

I love the morning light;

I love the world of living things;

The flowers, the plants, the birds,

I love the rustling of the trees,

With love too deep for words;

I love the beauty of the rose,

And I'll confide to you;

I am reminded every year  
I love roast turkey, too.

—Somerville Journal.

**EDITORIAL COMMENT**

Salem News: That is surely a reminder near home of the value of school fire drills in the administrative manner in which a Lynn school structure was emptied of its rising 400 inmates within a period of 60 minutes. Tots as young as five years, with the dullest children not more than nine years, responded to the word of command. There was no disorder, no tendency to rush, not the slightest approach to panicky conditions, and with smoke, at that, filling corridors. There must be praise for the cool-headed teachers, equally with admiration for the brave little men and women.

**THE MILITANT SUFFRAGETTE**

Biddeford Journal: Rudyard Kipling must have had his mental vision focused on the British militant suffragette when he gave vent to his outpouring on "The female of the species." From such a standpoint there is more or less foundation for his conclusions.

**MEANING OF CONSISTORY**

Boston Transcript: Not for centuries has the non-Italian, or foreigner, got such recognition as, in today's consistory. It furnishes the first chapter in modern history for a foreigner to become pope... In Rome the impression seems to prevail that Cardinal Merry del Val is convinced

**A NEW REMEDY FOR ECZEMA**

Thousands of people are today suffering from eczema and think it is something else. The new compound Cadum gives quick relief in all forms of eczema, rashes, ringworm and irritation of the skin or scalp. It has a wonderfully-soothing and healing effect whenever the skin is inflamed, irritated or affected, and has proved a blessing to thousands who have suffered for years from distressing stubborn and disfiguring skin diseases. Cadum actually destroys disease germs and restores the skin to a healthy condition. All druggists sell Cadum at 10c and 25c.

**FINE CONCERT**

## TO BE GIVEN BY BOSTON OPERA COMPANY

The coming concert on Thursday evening at the Colonial by members of the Boston Opera company promises to be a source of greatest pleasure to all music lovers of Lowell.

Not only are the artists chosen to interpret the music among the best in the grand opera concert field, but the program itself is full of brilliant compositions by the world's greatest masters.

Evelyn Scottney, the soprano, has the distinction of being a protégé of Dame Melba, the greatest coloratura singer in the world today. A native of Australia, educated in the public schools of Melbourne, Miss Scottney went about two years ago to Paris, there to study with Mme. Marchesi, the art of singing. Her voice, a beautiful lyric soprano of liquid quality and exceptional purity, attracted the attention of many managers with the result that she made her debut last year at Covent Garden, scoring an instantaneous success. Director Russell, who heard her, lost no time in engaging her for the Boston Opera company and it is confidently expected that she will become one of America's most popular prima donnas.

Raoul Romita, a tenor, is one of the year's finds and critics are unanimous in declaring that he is Caruso's true successor. Very young in years, Mr. Romita is experienced in the art of singing and his engagement for Lowell is a distinct triumph for the managers of the concert.

Elvira Leveroni, though Italian by birth, is a native of Boston. She was educated in the public schools of the Hub of the Universe, but went while in her teens to Italy, there to prepare herself for the grand opera stage. Her success both abroad and as a member of the Boston Opera company is now a matter of history and only last summer she was chosen by the composer Puccini to impersonate one of the principal roles in "The Girl of the Golden West," when this opera was given in Rome by Royal command.

The baritone of the quartet that is to entertain the Lowell music lovers is Rodolfo Fornari, famous throughout the civilized world as the impersonator of Figaro in Rossini's "Barber of Seville." He has just returned from a triumphal tour of the west and his rendition of the several numbers assigned to him is certain to arouse the utmost enthusiasm.

Following is the program:

## PART I

Aria, Bohème ..... Puccini  
Aria, Samson et Dalila ..... Saint-Saëns  
Aria, Louise ..... Carpenter  
Arie, Idomène, Roman ..... Tosti  
M. Fornari

## PART II

Aria, Girl of the Golden West, Puccini  
Aria, Mignon ..... Thomas  
Aria, Mignon ..... Elvira Leveroni  
Romance ..... M. Fornari

## PART III

Aria, Melissofale ..... Bolto  
Three English Sons ..... M. Fornari  
Aria, Tosca ..... Puccini  
Cavatina, Barber of Seville, Rossini  
Quartet, Rigoletto ..... Verdi  
M. Scottney, Leveroni, M. Fornari, Fornari

## JESSIE A. CASE

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The most wonderful book ever written—the most wonderful medicine ever composed—will be sold in Lowell, Tuesday, December 5, at 78 Chelmsford street, from 1 p. m. to 7 p. m., and would be pleased to meet anyone having rheumatism.

## READ THIS.

Lowell, Nov. 23, 1911.

Dear Sir:—In reply to yours would say that I am completely cured of my rheumatism.

It seems wonderful to me after I had suffered so much and had despised of ever being able to cure myself.

After reading your advertisement in your paper I had no encouragement from doctors but I now feel

much better. I am so thankful

that I saw your advertisement in your paper. I truly hope that others will try your medicine and I shall you, tell them of your success.

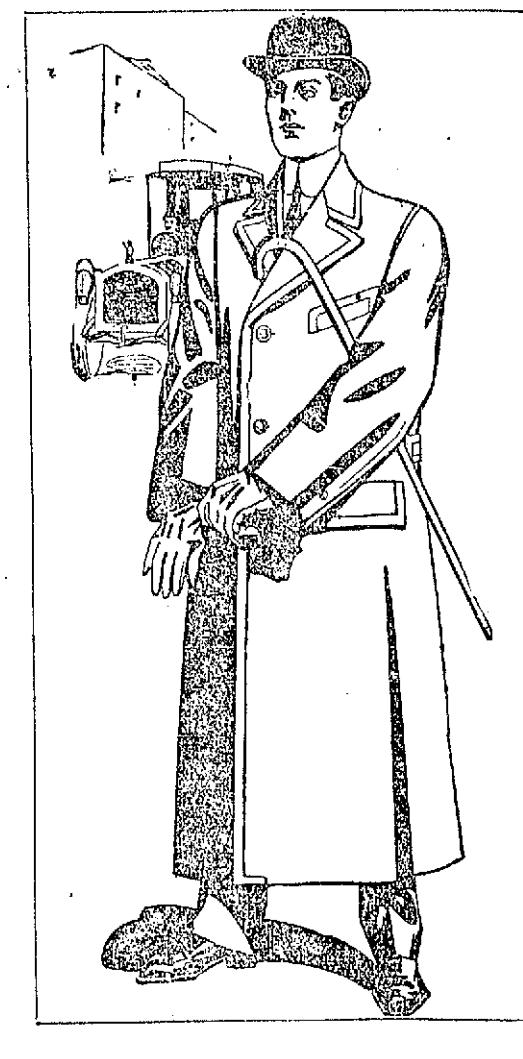
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**BOILERS EXPLODE**

Five Men Killed and Towboat Was Wrecked

PITTSBURG, Dec. 4.—The boilers of the towboat Diamond exploded while the vessel was in the Ohio river off Avalon, six miles from here, yesterday morning. The captain and four of the crew were killed and two others were injured, two of whom will die. The boat was wrecked and hundreds of panes of glass in Avalon were broken by the concussion.

# FOUGHT WITH KNIVES

## One Man Killed and Two Others Injured in Battle

QUINCY, Dec. 4.—One man is dead, two are in the Quincy hospital, seriously cut, and two more are locked up in the police station as the result of a battle with knives at 35 Water street yesterday afternoon.

With his breast sliced open and a gash in his head, Sipario Savello is guarded at the hospital by Patrolman George McKay, charged with murdering Giuseppe Savello.

Giuseppe's brother, Matteo, is held at the police station as a material witness. Both boarded at Savello's home, 33 Water street, in the Italian quarter, near the quarries. Savello is 24 years old and recently married. He objected to their language to his comely young wife and used a 15-inch bread knife in defending himself when the two brothers, according to the testimony of those in the house, attacked him with a knife and a razor.

### Risks Babe for Men

Savello's wife, Stefania, ran to aid her husband with her little baby, Teresa. In her arms, she was spattered from head to feet with blood, but escaped uninjured.

Savello is a little man, but with the assistance of the keen-edged bread knife, snatched from the table, and despite his own gash wounds, he chased the brothers out of the house. In the street he engaged with Giuseppe Savello, who was full 50 pounds heavier. Savello ran his knife into Giuseppe's stomach and disemboweled him. Matteo, the other brother, ran out of reach.

Dominick Corsiglia, 20, of 3 Lambeth street, Cambridge, was visiting the Savello home and tried to stop the fight. His eye was cut out. He is in the hospital with Sipario Savello.

Dominick's friend, Michele Salvendin, also of 3 Lambeth street, is locked up in the Quincy police station.

**Farewell Party**

The two Cambridge Italians were going back to Italy and came to Quincy to bid their friends farewell.

### OLD TIME CRUELTY

#### ONE TIME WHEN SURGERY IS OFTEN NEEDLESS TORTURE

Many operations for piles are simply needless torture, for when it's all over the piles come back.

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Red Felt Slippers with felt soles, no heels. All sizes. Regular price 50c.

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Children's Russet Leather Shoes, wide toes, sizes 5 to 8. Regular price \$1.25.

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### MEN'S HOSE

Men's Cashmere Hose in plain black, gray, natural and tan, double heel and toe, not seconds. Regular price 25c.

#### MAIN FLOOR, SOUTH SIDE

AFTER SUPPER SALE  
17c

### LADIES' PETTICOATS

60 Black Cotton Taffeta Petticoats in all lengths. Regular price 50c.

#### MAIN FLOOR, LADIES' DEPT.

AFTER SUPPER SALE  
29c

### LADIES' POLO COATS

25 Polo Coats in Junior, Misses' and Ladies' sizes. All colors. Regular price \$13.

#### MAIN FLOOR, LADIES' DEPT.

AFTER SUPPER SALE  
\$6.99

### JUNIOR SUITS

Four different styles in Junior Suits, sizes 13, 15 and 17. All colors. Regular price \$12.

#### MAIN FLOOR, LADIES' DEPT.

AFTER SUPPER SALE  
\$7.50

### LADIES' UNION SUITS

White Cotton Fleece Union Suits, long sleeves, high neck. Regular price 98c.

#### BARGAINLAND

AFTER SUPPER SALE  
59c

### CORSETS

High, Medium and Low Bust Corsets, long hip for stout and slender forms. Reg. price 98c.

#### BARGAINLAND

AFTER SUPPER SALE  
59c

### HAIR NETS

Black and brown, medium and light, rubber band. Regular price 5c.

#### BARGAINLAND

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2 for 5c

### DETECTIVE BURNS

Continued

### MORE SURPRISES ARE PRONOUNCED IN THE McNAMARA MARA CASE

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—"Some persons that apparently have been so astounded by the pleas of guilty by the McNamara brothers at Los Angeles may be still further amazed," said a representative of one of the employers' organizations watching the federal probe here into the alleged nation-wide dynamiting conspiracy today.

"No one at all well informed believed that the McNamaras were alone in operations that covered 100 explosions from coast to coast and cost an enormous sum of money."

Accountants and stenographers who proceeded today with the examination of records and correspondence of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers in the federal building chambers were seeking evidence, it was learned, as to the exact disposition of certain funds of the association. According to the information compiled by the National Erectors association, 100 explosions directed against employers of non-union ironworkers occurred between August, 1905, and December, 1910, in many states and it is the details of the organization and financing arrangements involved that the United States authorities seek to uncover.

Specifically the federal inquiry is as to whether or not the statute governing inter-state transportation of dynamite will be violated but since the visit of Detective William J. Burns to this city yesterday, it is intimated that prosecutions on more serious charges may follow if the federal grand jury returns indictments against men alleged to have been "higher up" in the McNamara conspiracy.

### BRIBERY PLOT

#### MORE ABOUT ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO REACH JURORS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 4.—Further details were learned today of the alleged plot to influence the McNamara jury, the supposed frustration of which by the arrest of Burton H. Franklin, a detective of the McNamara defense, is said to have been an important factor in forcing a confession of guilt from the McNamara brothers. A signed statement was declared to be in the hands of District Attorney John D. Fredericks, made by Mrs. Robert Bain, wife of the first sworn juror in the case, charging that \$500 was paid to her by an agent of the McNamara defense to influence her husband to secure a disagreement if not an acquittal by the jury in the trial of James B. McNamara for the fatalities growing out of the Los Angeles Times explosion.

"Yes, it is true," Bain himself is quoted as saying, "and the money given to my wife has been given to the district attorney."

A statement by the agent in transaction also is said to be in the possession of the court.

"Are the McNamaras worrying about their sentences?"

"No, they are ready to take what they get. They are worrying only about us, the attorneys. They think their confession has hurt Joe Harriman, who is running for mayor, and myself, as a candidate for the board of education."

**The Political Situation**

The effect of the McNamara confession on the political situation is a matter of general discussion here. Joe Harriman, the Socialist candidate for mayor, has stated that as an associate counsel for the McNamaras he knew nothing of their guilt and was not consulted in connection with their confession.

District Attorney Fredericks himself issued a signed statement in connection with Mr. Scott's candidacy for the board of education.

"I know no reason why anyone intending to vote for Joe Scott should refuse to do so now because of his connection with the McNamara case," said Mr. Fredericks. "When we get through here," declared Assistant District Attorney W. Joseph Ford today, "and when the federal government finishes its investigation people will realize how inadequate are our laws covering the bringing to trial or punishment of people who commit a crime in one state and flee to another, or who live in one state and direct the commission of crimes in other states."

It was Mr. Ford who went to Indianapolis to represent the California authorities in arresting John J. McNamara and he declared that though McNamara was legally extradited the incident illustrated how, unless prompt action on the part of one state was taken, "guilty parties might escape punishment by preventing extradition."

"And as to labor unions, he continued, "we of the prosecution beat half-mace toward them. We tried to show in court that we were prosecuting individuals and not any particular class."

The confessions, however, and things that follow certainly ought to show the laboring men that they should be more careful in the selection of their leaders. Laboring men have the right to stand and say that phase of the question should not be left at all injured by developments here."

As to the rewards which were offered throughout California for the arrest of the guilty persons who destroyed the Times building, Mr. Ford declared he thought Detective W. J. Burns was entitled to all of them, including those offered by labor organizations and subsequently withdrawn when the McNamaras were arrested. If Burns cares to sue for them, A question arises, however, as to the collection of one \$500 reward by Burns as there is an ordinance providing that no person in the employ of the city can collect a reward for an arrest and Burns was then employed by Mayor Alexander. There are other large rewards, however, not affected by that ordinance, which he probably will get.

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with the McNamaras was expected to be asked for and granted.

The two incidents of alleged bribery—that of Bain and Lockwood—are believed not to include all the attempts to affect the verdict of the jury which has come to the attention of the prosecution and District Attorney Fredericks is given as the authority for the statement that still another sworn juror has been tampered with.

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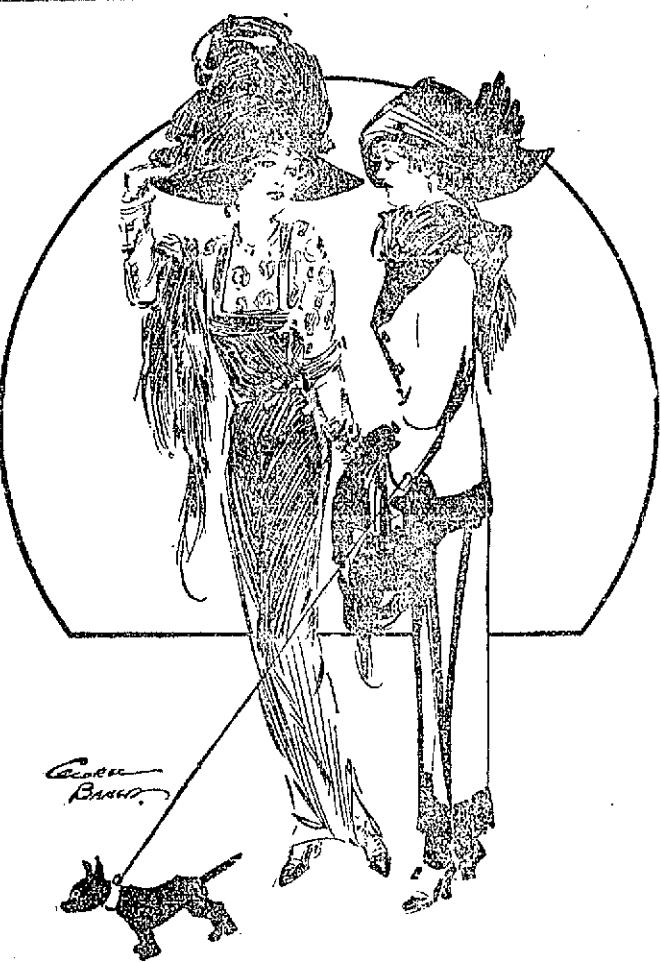
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## A PAGE OF FUN



WONDERFUL.

Your husband has a splendid memory I am told.  
Yes. Every time he gets a cold he can sit down and figure out just how and where he got it.

## One of the Benefits.

**F**E had a crepe band on his arm and died in New York city." "For what reason, sir?" "Why, they'd kept on letting him vote for twenty years after he died. Very liberal city, sir—very liberal!"

## A FRIEND IN NEED.

Reggy—I say, Percy, you're-a-wind of mine, aren't you? Percy—Sure.

Reggy—Then be a good fellow and help me out. I'd like to have that pretty cousin of yours learn about my aw-good points, doncher know.

Percy—I am helping you, old chap. I argued with her for two hours yesterday trying to convince her that you weren't as big a fool as you look.

## SHATTERING A BELIEF.

"OU ask how I lost my left eyebrow," replied the drummer for a drug house, "and I will tell you. It was last year about this time, and I was on a train between Buffalo and Detroit. I got to talking about Christmas with a stranger, and we were laughing over children's belief in Santa Claus, when a man about forty years old, who had the stat ahead, turned and asked:

"You don't mean to say that you don't believe Santa Claus comes down the chimney?"

"Why, of course he doesn't," I replied.

"And he hasn't got reindeers and a sled?"

"How silly!"

"And it is our parents who give us presents?"

"You ought to have got on to that at eight years old."

"But I didn't, sir—I didn't. I have believed all my life that there was a Santa Claus. When you say there is not it makes me feel terribly bad."

"Oh, I wouldn't shed tears over it at your age," I said.

"But you have destroyed my sacred belief, sir—one that I cherished above all others. It was cruel of you, and I see that you are a very wicked man—and—and—"

"And what?" was asked of the drummer.

"Why, he knocked my eyebrow off because there was no Santa Claus."

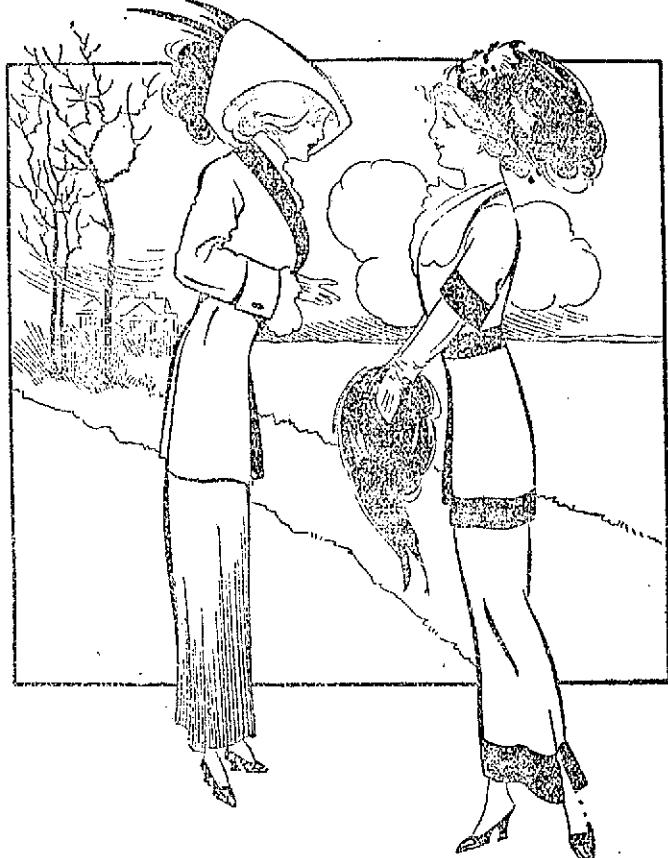
"You don't mean it?"

"But wouldn't the eyebrow be there now if he hadn't knocked it off? Yes, sir, knocked it half the length of the ear, and I have never really blamed him. I ought to have said that I didn't believe in ghosts instead."

## HE KNEW.

Smart—"But even if women had the right of suffrage they couldn't be induced to vote."

Wise—"That could easily be remedied by having a bargain counter at every polling place."



SATISFACTORY.

"Are you satisfied with your new maid?" "Very. She's too old to get married and too fat to wear my things. So I think we'll be able to keep her."

## Keeping Right On.

E didn't have to have an affidavit in his hand that he was an Englishman. He stopped before a man in a doorway and flourished his cane and said:

"King popular, sir, but can you tell me the name of your President in this country?"

"It's Taft, sir," was the reply.

"Aw, thanks. I wish to tell you, sir, that I don't like Mr. Craft's ways."

"You mean Taft."

"Yes, sir. I think I could advise him to his benefit. Yes, sir, I feel that I could advise Mr. Haft."

"I told you it was Taft."

"Perhaps you did, sir—perhaps so. It was Mr. Craft wasn't it, that wanted reciprocity with Canada?"

"Taft—Taft—Taft!"

"I think you said so, sir. And Mr. Raft vetoed something or other, if I'm not mistaken?"

"See here, sir," replied the other, "your name might be Jones."

"It surely is."

"Well, suppose I called you Bones, Groans, Zones and Moans?"

"Why, me deah, deah fellah, I Sleepy Passenger—"Neither would

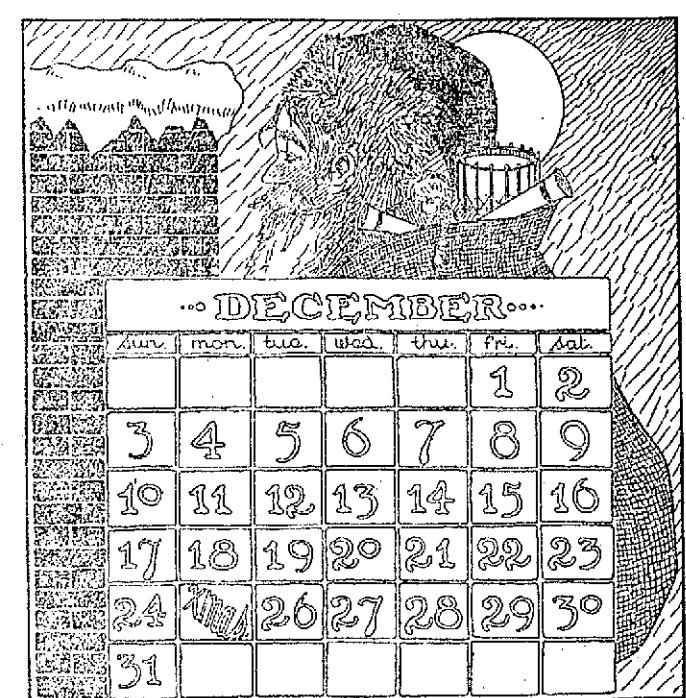
should simply keep right on saying 'you'."

that you had better let Mr. Naft go and vote in Mr. Waft?"

VERY LIKELY.

Pullman Car Conductor—"You've been snoring horribly—if you'd only shut your mouth you wouldn't make so much noise."

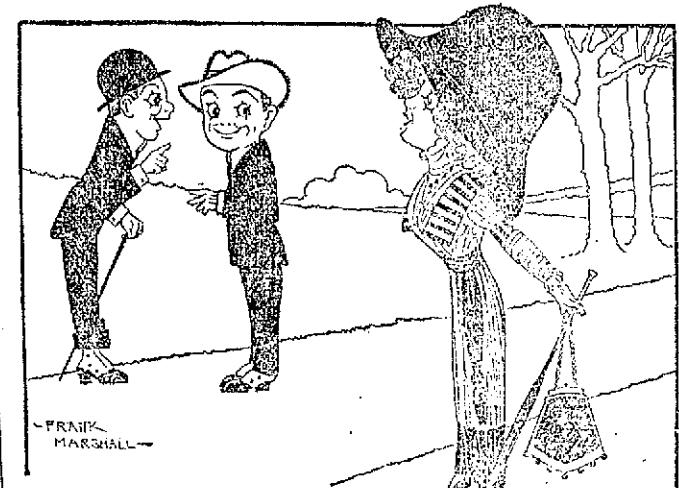
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A WONDER.

There's one thing that's peculiar; It always puzzles me; I've thought it over many months And still I cannot see,

Old Santa Claus is big and fat, Our chimney's very small. It seems almost beyond belief That he gets down at all.



## THE MODEST HUNTER.

Amateur Nimrod—Can you show me any bear tracks?

Native—I kin show you a bear.

Amateur Nimrod—Thanks awfully, old chap. Tracks will suffice.

## Getting It Straight.

There were just the two men on the rear platform of the trolley car with the conductor, and after one had regarded the other in a size-up way for a few minutes he said:

"I want to ask a question that may surprise you, but the best of us get stuck sometimes. Can you tell me what an itinerary is?"

"I think I can," was the reply. "To begin with, you must have a President of the United States."

"Yes."

"He should know it all."

"I see."

"He must veto bills that the people howl to have passed."

"Go on."

"And later on find himself in a hole."

"Just so."

"When one gets in a hole the natural desire is to bluff it out and say it isn't a hole. Therefore, the president plans a trip over eleven States to talk to the people and try and make them understand that they are the man in a hole instead of himself."

"I'm following you."

"But that's all. His journey is called an itinerary."

"And he makes the people believe?"

"That's to be found out next year."

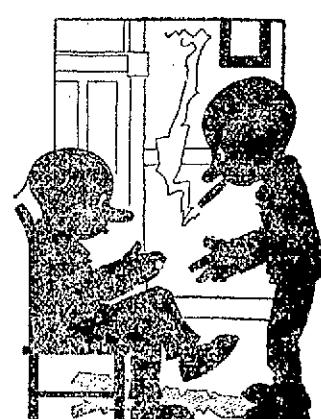
"And I told my wife at breakfast this morning," gasped the inquirer.



## THE IDEAL.

I have here the ideal snow shovel. Can you work it while I am sitting in front of the fireplace? Why, not—but—

Then you haven't the ideal snow-shovel. Gosh!



TO KEEP FROM FREEZING.

"What is that queer, rattling sound in the next room?"

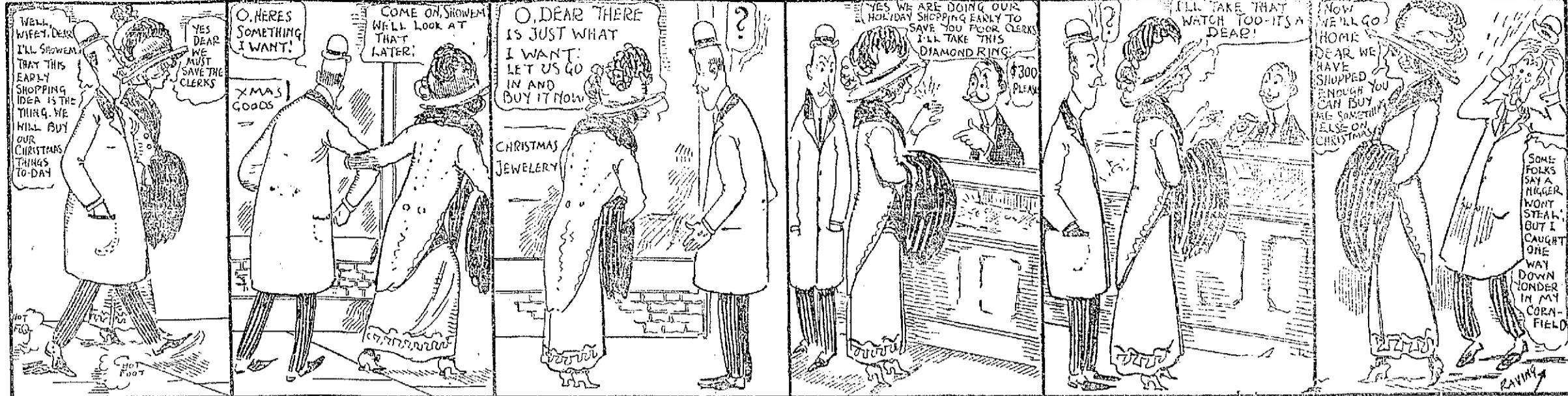
"Why, that is the ossified man of the museum rubbing his joints to take the frost out of his system."



THE BEST.

Wat d'you like best about school? Goin' home from it.

## MR. I. L. SHOWEM DOES SOME CHRISTMAS SHOPPING WITH HIS WIFE



## TURNED INTO RIOT

Many Injured at Benefit to Widow

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—A fusillade, accompanied by shouts of angry men and followed by a running battle with revolutionaries through the streets and over the steep Palisades, spread consternation through the town of Guttenberg, N. J., at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

The fight, which started in the Standard Brewery hall in Park avenue, left two men seriously wounded and twenty other persons—men, women and children—badly hurt.

The police rushed from West New York and North Bergen to assist the small local force arrest eighteen men residents of New York. Seven of them were held for the grand jury charged with felonious assault.

A benefit was being given at the hall for Mrs. John J. Astel, of No. 467 West Forty-ninth street, New York, widow of the man who was shot and killed on October 12 by Patrolman John Clifford, of West New York. Astel had been visiting in West New York and a bar-tender accused him of trying to steal a stilette. Astel resisted arrest. It is said, and was shot to death by the officer, who was exonerated. Friends of the Astels arranged the benefit for the widow.

Whether or not the killing of Astel by a policeman was one of the causes of the riot is not known, but about midnight, a crowd of nearly one hundred young roughs from Manhattan rived at the hall, and it was evident that they were looking for trouble.

There were four patrolmen on guard in the place. The roughs started a fight in one end of the hall, evidently to lure the police on, but there were so many present that the battle became confused, and raged indiscriminately all around the large room.

Revolvers blazed above the heads of unarmed women. Children were knocked down and trampled upon. Blackjacks were swung in air and brought down with crashing force on unfeared that was nearest.

Some one sent a hasty call to West New York, and police were rushed from there and from North Bergen. When they forced their way into the maelstrom the invaders tried to flee, and a band of them did get away.

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## BURNED TO DEATH

## Man Perished in Cabin of Schooner

BANGOR, Me., Dec. 4.—Cut off from escape like a rat in a trap, John Sumner, 36, of East Cambridge, Mass., was burned to death in the cabin of the schooner A. F. Kindberg, which is loading lumber at Ayer's mill, South Brewster, shortly after 3 yesterday morning. Carl Anderson, the Swedish mate; David Walsh of Boston, and William Hurley of St. John's, N. F., although the companionway stairs were impassable, managed to break into the captain's cabin and through the skylight to the deck above.

## SHOT HIMSELF

## PROMINENT NEW YORKER A SUICIDE IN PARIS

PARIS, Dec. 4.—David Wolfe Bishop, a wealthy resident of Paris, whose New York residence was at 31 Madison Avenue, shot and killed himself Friday. He had been suffering from a disease of the liver, which was pronounced incurable. His doctor called on him Friday and Bishop talked cheerfully. But suddenly he left the room and going into his dressing room shot himself. He left two letters, addressed to his mother, Mrs. Parsons of New York.

Mr. Bishop is said to have left his mansion and contents to a friend, Mme. Jeanne Deny, once a popular actress in the boulevard theatres of France. He left her a letter inclosing a check for \$250,000.

The police report states that two wounds were found one in the head and one in the body. Bishop was said to be a multi-millionaire. His business is given in the directory as that of engineer. He was a member of the Aero Automobile and other clubs.

He owned a chateau at Jonchery sur Vesle, in the department of Marne. His Paris residence was at 14 rue de Siam. The body will be sent to New York for burial.

## GIRL DROWNED

## SKATERS BROKE THROUGH THE THIN ICE

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Dec. 4.—Ruth Iselle Birch, the 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Birch, was drowned shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon while skating on a small inlet of the Connecticut river a few rods from her home, across the river in the town of Hinsdale, N. H.

The body was recovered by her father in six feet of water and 100 feet from the shore about 30 minutes after the accident.

Three of her companions, a brother, Albert Birch, Harold Oakes and Joseph Lemere, also broke through the ice, but were rescued. So frail was the ice that it was with great danger to the rescuers that the other children were brought to the shore where Dr. C. R. Aldrich and Dr. Thomas Rice attended them.

Dr. Henry Tucker was present when the Birch girl was brought up. He worked over her for an hour, but in vain.

## THE MATHEWS

## TO ENTERTAIN ST. CHARLES SOCIETY OF WOBURN

The members of the Mathew Temperance Institute met in regular session at their hall in Dutton street yesterday morning. President James J. Gallagher presiding. Thirteen new members were admitted to membership and several propositions were received. The St. Charles T. A. society and Ladies' Auxiliary of Woburn will be the guests of the Mathews on next Thursday evening, and the local society will entertain them in royal style, assisted by the M. T. A. Bachelor girls, who will give an entertainment. Card and pool games will be put into action on the arrival of the out of town society. After these games are played, an appetizing lunch will be served. General dancing will be enjoyed during the evening.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

A delightfully quaint comedy of English manners of the early eighteenth century, without a plot, without a villain, without any one wronged, without incident except the love affairs of the people of the six little houses which make up this colony away from the hurly-burly of city life is "Pomander Walk," which comes to the Lowell Opera House tonight, at

the whole performance would suffer. The story is told by the author in the following couplet on the program:

"Pomander Walk? Where is it? Understand: Out Chiswick way, Half-way to Fairy-land."

## MAUDE ADAMS

As a rule a play with a distinct purpose carries one into boredom. No one wants to be preached at in a theatre. The man or woman who wants preaching gets into a state of mind to receive it as a rule and then goes to church where everything harmonizes with the lessons that are set forth. But when a great poet like Roseland for example, puts forth a play with a purpose, and clothes in the most charming versification his message to the world, and then pronounces takes this play and gives to it the most wonderful and novel series of settings, all serving to emphasize atmospherically and pictorially the poet's message, the play of purpose taken on a most stirring aspect.

Such a play was furnished by Roseland, who is numbered among the French immortals, in "Chantecler," and such a manner to give it production as Charles Frohman congealed to present it. Added to this is the presence of an actress who is noted for her talents, Maud Adams, to give the work in its principal character, life and being. "Chantecler" being recognized as a beautifully poetic work rich in symbolism, and the assurance given that its presentation will be an artistic treat there is little cause to wonder over the amount of interest that is being displayed in the coming of the drama.

## THE CAT AND THE FIDDLE

Harry B. Watson and his company of forty claver singers, dancers and comedians in "Chas. A. Seilon's the merry musical extravaganza, "The Cat and the Fiddle," will hold high jinks at the Opera House on Wednesday and Thursday with its host of pretty girls, beautiful spectacles, and wonderful electrical effects.

This attraction proved to be one of the best on tour the past season and bids fair to break all records on its appearance here.

## RUSSIAN COURT ORCHESTRA

M. W. W. Andreeff, founder and leader of the Imperial Russian Court Ballettka orchestra, which will appear here with a contingent of Imperial Russian Opera Stars, has one hobby besides ballettka, dominoes and gossips. M. Andreeff goes in for higher mathematics and astronomy.

## KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

One would have to go a long way to find a bill that will beat the aggregation that Manager Stevens has gotten together at the local theatre for this week. There isn't a weak spot in the entire bill and all are at the head of their profession. Opening with the head-liners, Gardner and Stoddard, in what they are pleased to term "Vaudeville Frivolities," have a rather unique and thoroughly enjoyable act. "Frivolities" is the synonym of fun while "vaudeville" always old mean variety and hence they present a variety of fun including selections on the cornet and musical bells by Mr. Gardner and

a lot of real funny Sis Hopkins female radio stuff by Miss Stoddard. "The Wailing Wooley" is the absurdity offered by Bowls and Van Kauffman. The latter is a woman who has the misfortune to advertise for help and the former is the colored willing worker who amuses for the job. It is to laugh. Just forget that Alexander had a rag time band and come on and hear, come on and hear Castiglioni's Italo band. Cassinelli is the man who in imitating Cagliari did a better job than the original, while his band of seven pieces can play brass, guitars, xylophones and other instruments that you don't hear in every old band. Miss Hathaway and her 26 monkeys will recall what Darwin once said about poor mankind, they are so clever. They do a jolly jazz tarantella and make monkeys of themselves generally without making you tired. Hermon and Kinley give a captivating dancing act, the former making a specialty of acrobatic dancing. Harry T. McConnell, the president of the "13 club" has a monologue that is all his own and far different from the general run of single acts. The Three Shedevils are contortionists whose act is a marvel, while the Mysterious Moore is a comedy conjurer who mixes fun and mystery most entertainingly. Then there are the pictures, all new first run reels.

## HATHAWAY THEATRE

Merry Donald Meek and his clever company of players present their closing engagement at the Hathaway theatre this week with "Hello, Bill," a seemingly funny farce as the attraction. The theatre will not close until the Meek company will conclude its engagement with the week. Mr. Meek returning to the Castle square theatre where he will open next week in "Are You a Mason?" Mr. Chapman has a New York engagement and Miss Spelman and Mr. Walsh may go into vaudeville in a sketch in which Miss Spelman has already appeared on the Keith circuit. Miss Langdon is concluding two others from road companies while Mr. Crymble will enjoy a honeymoon. Mr. Clemons has booked a good engagement. This week's attraction will mean the closing of the season in a roar of merriment for the play "Hello, Bill," a succession of laughs from start to finish. The story is about two men of the same name, one a sporty bachelor and the other a general fighting for his country in Cuba. The bachelor wills celebrating his passing from the ranks of single-blessedness gets into trouble and finally loses his life. The fact interfere with his coming marriage he impersonates the absent general, and gets in worse for everyone insists on entertaining the hero. He is about to attend a banquet given in his honor when the real general appears and he is in trouble, head over heels. After a succession of most ridiculous situations, everything comes out all right. Mr. Meek will play the bachelor, and Mr. Stevens, the general, while Mr. Chapman presents the role of a man who is known as "Ixas" from his ability to square all tangled matters. It is on his advice that the bachelor assumes the identity of the general. Seats may be ordered in advance by telephone, 811.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

In selecting this week's bill at the

## ADMIRAL WILDE DEAD

## Old Sea-Fighter Passed Away Suddenly

NORTH EASTON, Dec. 4.—Death came suddenly at his home here yesterday to Rear Admiral George Francis Foxon Wilde, U. S. N., retired, whose record of 40 years' service in the navy contains many notable achievements afloat and ashore.

The old sea-fighter had been troubled with heart disease for several years, but the shock which caused the end yesterday came without warning to his physician or members of his household. He was in his 67th year.

Rear Admiral Wilde had read with interest recently the progress of the revolution in China, he having landed a body of United States marines—the first marines ever landed in China—during the Boxer uprising in 1898. The first Captain Wilde headed this body into Peking, where they maintained a guard over the American legation for two or six months. Captain Wilde also participated in numerous movements of the allied forces during the uprising.

His graduation from the United States Naval Academy in 1884, marked the beginning of an interesting career.

Within 20 years he had risen to the rank of commander, and in 1893 was on the staff of Captain John D. Long, the first chief of naval operations.

On Sunday, Dec. 1, he went to Havana for the Confederate ironclad "Tennessee" to be sold to the United States.

On Monday, Dec. 2, he was appointed to the command of the "U. S. S. Dorotha" and on Tuesday, Dec. 3, he was promoted to rear admiral.

On Wednesday, Dec. 4, he was promoted to admiral.

On Saturday, Dec. 7, he was promoted to vice admiral.

On Sunday, Dec. 8, he was promoted to admiral.

On Monday, Dec. 9, he was promoted to admiral.

On Tuesday, Dec. 10, he was promoted to admiral.

On Wednesday, Dec. 11, he was promoted to admiral.

On Thursday, Dec. 12, he was promoted to admiral.

On Friday, Dec. 13, he was promoted to admiral.

On Saturday, Dec. 14, he was promoted to admiral.

On Sunday, Dec. 15, he was promoted to admiral.

On Monday, Dec. 16, he was promoted to admiral.

On Tuesday, Dec. 17, he was promoted to admiral.

On Wednesday, Dec. 18, he was promoted to admiral.

On Thursday, Dec. 19, he was promoted to admiral.

On Friday, Dec. 20, he was promoted to admiral.

On Saturday, Dec. 21, he was promoted to admiral.

On Sunday, Dec. 22, he was promoted to admiral.

On Monday, Dec. 23, he was promoted to admiral.

On Tuesday, Dec. 24, he was promoted to admiral.

On Wednesday, Dec. 25, he was promoted to admiral.

On Thursday, Dec. 26, he was promoted to admiral.

On Friday, Dec. 27, he was promoted to admiral.

On Saturday, Dec. 28, he was promoted to admiral.

On Sunday, Dec. 29, he was promoted to admiral.

On Monday, Dec. 30, he was promoted to admiral.

On Tuesday, Dec. 31, he was promoted to admiral.

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## 75 NEW MEMBERS

Were Initiated Into the C.  
M. A. C. Yesterday

The first real work of the members of the C. M. A. C. in the recruiting contest organized a few weeks ago, was shown yesterday afternoon, when at a special meeting held in their clubhouse in Pawtucket street. 75 new members were initiated into the society.

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## HALF-PRICE SALE —OR— White Sweaters

A Half-Price Sale of WHITE SWEATERS Started This Morning in our Ladies' Wear Department.

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Made up of samples and a few Soiled Sweaters, were \$3.98 and \$5.00 Saturday.

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Men's Rubber Boots, dull finish. Sale Price..... \$2.29

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Boys' Low Cut Plain Rubbers, sizes 2½ to 6. Sale Price..... \$3.98

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Girls' Rubber Boots, bright finish, flock-lined, sizes 11 to 2. Sale Price..... \$1.49

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Ladies' Storm and Low Cut, all styles heels and toes. Sale Price..... \$5.50

Ladies' Storm and Low Cut Rubbers, all styles and sizes. Sale Price..... \$4.98

Boys' Storm and Low Cut Plain Rubbers. Sale Price..... \$3.98

Girls' Low Cut Rubbers, heavy weight sole, sizes 11 to 2. Sale Price..... \$4.98

Sizes 6 to 10½. Sale Price..... \$4.98

Girls' Low Cut School Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2. Sale Price..... \$3.98

Sizes 4 to 10½. Sale Price..... \$2.98

Boys' Low Cut Overshoes, light Jersey cloth. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Men's 4-buckle Overshoes, heavy weight. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Men's 4-buckle Overshoes, light weight Jersey cloth. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Men's 4-buckle Overshoes, medium weight. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Men's 4-buckle Overshoes, heavy weight. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Men's 4-buckle Overshoes, light Jersey cloth. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Boys' 4-buckle Overshoes, light Jersey cloth. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Women's 4-buckle Overshoes, light Jersey cloth. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Men's 2-buckle School Overshoes, heavy weight, sizes 2½ to 6. Sale Price..... \$1.50

Sizes 11 to 2. Sale Price..... \$1.35

Boys' 1-buckle Overshoes, heavy weight. Sale Price..... \$1.49

Men's Felt Boots and Rubbers, at 25 per cent. less than regular prices. Sale Price..... \$1.75

## SHOE DEPARTMENT

## FOR SALE IN BASEMENT

# BASEMENT BARGAIN DEPT.

# Bath Robe Blankets

## AT LOWER PRICES THAN EVER

We have closed out from the manufacturer about 150 BATH ROBE BLANKETS, samples and small lots, at a great reduction from regular prices, representing all the latest designs in all the newest combinations of colors. We offer them at the following prices—

\$2.50 ROBES AT.....	\$1.50 Each
\$3.50 ROBES AT.....	\$2.50 Each
\$5.00 ROBES AT.....	\$4.00 Each
\$6.00 ROBES AT.....	\$4.75 Each

# Down Puffs

Our line of DOWN PUFFS is now complete. We are showing a very large assortment in handsome patterns in fine sateen, satin and silk. Special this week at..... \$5.00, \$6.50, \$8.00 and \$10.00

# MONDAY EVENING SPECIAL

—IN OUR—

# Men's Furnishing Dept.

50 DOZEN MEN'S 25c CASHMERE HOSE AT 12 I-2c PAIR

50 Dozen Men's Pure Cashmere Hose, black, tan and natural. 25c value. For this evening ..... ONLY 12 I-2c PAIR

PALMER STREET

BASEMENT

# Sale of Black Petticoats

\$1.98 BLACK PETTICOATS, 98c—Made of sateen, cotton taffeta, with cotton or silk flounces.

Regular and extra sizes! Were \$1.98..... Today, 98

\$2.98 BLACK PETTICOATS, \$1.98—Made of heather bloom, sateen, gloria, and moreen, tailored and sectional flounces. Regular and extra sizes..... Today, \$1.98

EAST SECTION

CLOAK DEPT.—SECOND FLOOR

# GLOVES AND MITTENS For Men and Boys

5000 PAIRS FROM THE BEST MANUFACTURERS OF THIS COUNTRY. MADE FOR WORK, STREET AND DRESS WEAR. THREE OF THE BEST KNOWN MAKES OF RAILROAD GLOVES IN THIS LOT.

19c to \$3.98

REGULAR PRICES 25c to \$5.00

WOOLEN GLOVES FOR MEN AND BOYS. medium and heavy weight, black, gray and fancies, regular prices 25c and 50c..... 19c and 39c Pair CAPE, MOCHA and REINDEER GLOVES, silk and fleece lined, regular prices \$1.00 and \$1.50.... 69c and 98c Pair

SPECIAL—100 PAIRS FUR-LINED GLOVES AND MITTENS in buck and reindeer, regular price \$3.00..... \$1.98 Pair

FOR WORK—RAILROAD GLOVES AND MITTENS, lined and unlined, best stock, regular prices 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50..... 39c, 69c, 98c Pair

EAST SECTION

# DECember CLEARANCE Rugs and Draperies

98c Wool and Fibre Rugs, 27x51. Clearance, 49c Each

\$2.75 Axminster Rugs, 27x63. Clearance, \$1.49 Each

\$0.00 Saxony Rugs, 36x63. Clearance, 49c Each

\$1.50 Sample Velvet Rugs, 27 in. square. Clearance, 49c Each

\$1.00 Sample Tapestry Rugs, 27 in. square. Clearance, 39c Each

New Lot Utility Shirtwaist Boxes, Matting Covered, all sizes—\$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.50, \$3.98 to \$9.00.

## \$8.00 WORTH OF BLACK CAT HOSIERY

For men, women and children on sale at half price, Thursday, December 7.

EAST SECTION—LEFT AISLE

# The Xmas Leather Goods Are Ready

Bags .....	\$1.00 to \$9.00
Velvet Bags .....	.50c to \$7.00
Bead Bags .....	\$2.00 to \$10.00
Envelope Bags .....	.50c to \$4.50
Pocketbooks .....	.25c to \$4.50
Card Cases .....	.75c to \$2.75
Music Rolls .....	\$1.50 to \$7.00
Picture Sets .....	\$3.00 to \$5.25
Paper Poufles .....	.50c
Twine Balls .....	.25c to \$5.00
Jewel Boxes .....	.25c to \$50c
Shopping Lists .....	.25c to \$3.50
Sewing Boxes .....	.25c to \$3.50
Drinking Cups .....	.35c to \$3.00
Writing Cases .....	.50c to \$3.50
Score Pads .....	.50c to \$1.00
Playing Card Cases .....	.50c and 89c
Manicure Cases .....	.50c to \$6.00
Medicine Cases .....	.50c to \$6.00
Bridge Sets .....	.98c to \$1.75
Telephone Registers .....	.50c and 75c
Toilet Water Cases .....	\$1.50 to \$3.50
Books—	
Address .....	.25c to 75c
Engagements .....	.50c
Address and Engagements .....	.29c
Worth Reading .....	.50c
Register .....	.50c
Cooking Receipts .....	.25c to \$1.00
Address, Telephone and Telegraph .....	.75c
Hasty Line .....	.50c and \$1.50
Diary .....	.50c
My Trip Abroad .....	\$1.00
Motor Trips .....	.75c
Seen and Heard .....	.50c
Sets, English, French, Spanish, German and Italian .....	\$1.50
Half Dozen .....	\$2.75 Set

WEST SECTION

THE  
"RIGHT  
THING"  
FOR  
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WHERE  
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LIST OF  
LEATHER  
GOODS

Pints .....	\$3.00
Quarts .....	\$5.00
Cases, single pints .....	\$2.50
Cases, single quarts .....	\$3.00
Cases, double pints .....	\$3.50
Cases, double quarts .....	\$4.50
Cases, double pints, wicker .....	\$4.00
Cases, double quarts, wicker .....	\$4.50
Cases, two pints and lunch box .....	\$5.50
Cases, two quarts and lunch box .....	\$7.50
Automobile Goggie Cases .....	\$2.00 and \$2.50
Folding Rubber Wash Basin, Towel and Soap Box in case .....	\$4.

**SHOT TAME DUCK REV. ASA R. DILTS**

**Two Men Were Fined in Court Today**

Charles Sproule, an elderly man minus his left arm, and Chester Barker, aged about 19 years, both of Billerica, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning on a complaint charging them with the larceny of a domesticated bird—a duck—it being alleged that one of them shot the bird while the other had it in his possession when apprehended by Millie Salter, the owner of the duck, and Carol Fordham.

According to the testimony of the Salter woman, she owned a number of ducks, which were in a brook in the rear of her property in Billerica and that on the 25th of November as a result of what she heard, she found that one of her white Pekin ducks was missing. She met Carol Fordham who informed her that a couple of men had been shooting at her ducks and that one had been killed.

She entered Mr. Fordham's carriage at his invitation and, making their way towards the brook found Sproule and Barker. Sproule had a gun in his hand and the young man had the duck in his canvas coat. She asked him to produce the bird, which he did and upon examination found that it had been shot through the wing and leg.

Officer Frank Bartlett of Billerica testified that he learned of the shooting and questioned Sproule who said he knew nothing about the duck, that he hadn't had a gun in his hand for two years and don't know the name of the boy who was with him when the duck was taken by the Salter woman. Witness said that the Salter woman was willing to settle the matter without going to court but that Sproule refused to settle.

The complainant was recalled and she said that after receiving the duck she told young Barker that he was a mean scamp whereupon Barker ran away. Later Barker's brother called upon her and paid her \$6.25 for the duck, but she informed him that the matter had been reported to the police and was out of her hands.

Neither Sproule nor Barker had anything to say, but before sentence was passed Sproule arose and said that while he had the gun in his possession when the Salter woman and Mr. Fordham put in an appearance, that he did not shoot the bird.

The court found both men guilty and ordered Sproule to pay a fine of \$15 but owing to the youth of Barker he was placed in the custody of the probation officer for one year.

**Drunken Offenders**

Thomas Mahoney was charged with drunkenness and he entered a plea of guilty but owing to the fact that he had given a variety of names from the time he was arrested until he appeared in court the judge decided to put the case over until tomorrow in order to ascertain if the man has a record.

John J. Welch and Annie McCabe were each sentenced to two months in jail. Frank Fowler was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail.

Thomas J. Corr, John J. Delaney, Matthew Meyer, Xavier Therleau, Jas. Lynch, William P. Warren and Mary Snyman were found guilty of drunkenness and each was ordered to pay a fine of \$5.

There were two first offenders who were fined \$2 each and the nine simple drunks were released before the opening of court.

**Case Continued**

The case of Pierre Savignac charged with neglect of wife was continued till December 4.

**SLIGHT FIRES****THAT REQUIRED THE ATTENTION OF THE DEPARTMENT**

A portion of the fire department was called to the vicinity of Westford and Pine streets, beyond Tyler park, yesterday afternoon at 4:40 o'clock where there was a grass fire in progress. The blaze was extinguished before any damage was done.

**Telephone Alarm**

Saturday night at 7:07 o'clock a telephone alarm summoned a portion of the fire department to a dump fire in Taunier street. The blaze was speedily extinguished.

**Fire in High Street**

The members of the High street engine company were called to 50 High street this morning where a fire was caused by meat on a stove becoming overheated and burning produced considerable smoke. The fire was extinguished without loss other than to the meat. The building is the property of the estate of Albert G. Thompson.

**THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE**

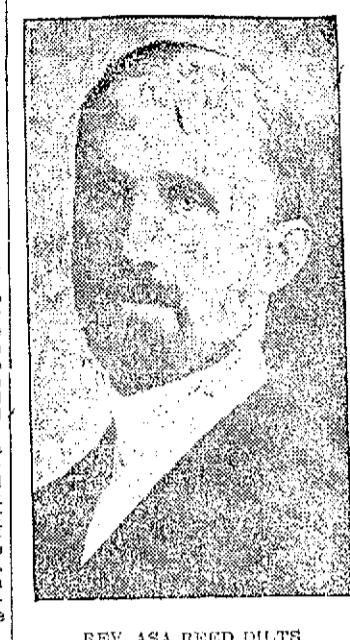
MARY AT IT AGAIN  
Mary had a chicken small.  
And she thought it immense.  
When the waiter handed her a check  
For a dollar and ninety cents.

Find the waiter.

ANSWER TO SATURDAY'S PUZZLE,  
Right side down, head just above pitcher.

**Observed 13th Anniversary as Pastor**

Sunday services at the Calvary Baptist church were attended more largely than usual yesterday, since the day marked the 13th anniversary of Rev. Asa Reed Dilts' pastorate. The new church at the corner of Hastings and Liberty streets has been built since Mr. Dilts came here and there has



REV. ASA REED DILTS

been a big increase in church membership. The services yesterday touched upon the work accomplished during his time here. There was congregational singing and the selections by the choir were appropriate and impressive.

Mr. Dilts began his pastorate at the Branch Street Tabernacle. The Calvary Baptist church was dedicated November 7, 1899 and 47 members have been added within the last year, and 100 in the 13 years of his pastorate.

He started a course known as the new departure course about two years ago and this course will be resumed December 13. The new departure course proved very interesting and assisted very materially in strengthening the membership force of the church. There were lectures that were practical, interesting, instructive and inspiring. Mr. Dilts is a hustler and his flock looks up to him with love and admiration. The financial, social and spiritual condition of the church has improved under his administration and he must feel great satisfaction in the work that he has done.

**LOST AND FOUND**

**POCKETBOOK CONTAINING SUM** of money lost between Knox's 5 and 10 cent store and High st. Return to Sun Office and receive reward.

**LOCKET WITH 14 STONES** AND containing two photographs lost with chain, between West Bowers street and Merrimack st., Nov. 26th. Return to 3 Murray's block, Salem st.

**VALUABLE CRESCENT PIN** OF sapphires and pearls, lost in the plain Merrimack st. Sunday. Suitable reward for return of same to The Sun office.

**BLACK FISH NECK PIECE LOST**, either in Christian Hill car or Gorham st. car, Tuesday evening, Nov. 26. Finder will receive reward for its return to 66 Sixth st.

**DIAMOND RING LOST**, EITHER ON the 4 o'clock train from Boston, or in the Lowell depot, Friday, Dec. 1. Finder will be liberally rewarded. L. R. Collett, 181 Central st.

**AN ELOPEMENT CONTAINING \$55** lost near police office, bearing mark W. & E. Co. and also name R. G. Cubitt. Finder return to 137 Middlesex st. and receive \$5 reward.

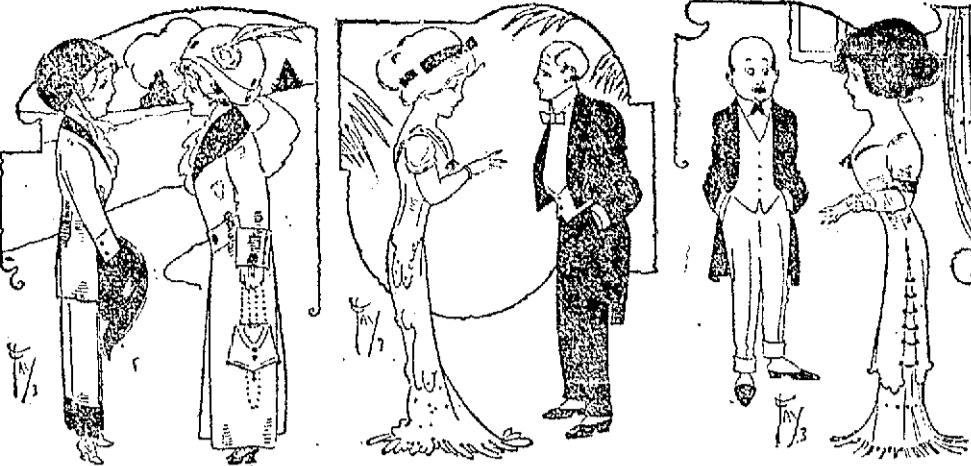
**BROWN KID GLOVE LOST**, LEFT hand glove between cor. of Central and Charles st.s. Reward at 62 Chestnut st. Upstairs.

**Stove Repairs**

We carry in stock and furnish linings, grates, covers, centers, water fronts, etc. for all kinds of stoves and ranges. Work done at lowest prices. Bring size and name of stove, or telephone 1977-1.

**Quinn Furniture Co.**  
100 Middlesex Street

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

**A LITTLE NONSENSE**

OF COURSE NOT

"Why, he even imprinted a kiss upon my lips."

"But that kind of printing doesn't show."



THE IDEA!



HOW INNOCENT.



ROASTED HER.

**GUTTED BY FIRE****Haverhill Shoe Factory Was Badly Damaged**

HAVERHILL, Dec. 4.—The Bartlett shoe factory on Washington street was gutted by fire today with a loss of \$1,000 on property, machinery and stock. Adjoining property caught fire but was saved with little loss. The cause is unknown.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Bertha H. Coleman, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons directed to said estate are called upon to make payment to John L. Russell, Admin., 177 Concord St., Lowell.

William D. Rogan, Attorney, November 27, 1911.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John V. Rowe, and George A. Rowe, of Lowell, and County of Middlesex. Notice is hereby given, that the guardian of said minors, has presented his petition for license to sell certain real estate therein specified, of his said minor children, to whom he has given the name of John V. Rowe, Jr. and George A. Rowe, respectively. The place of residence of the minors, is 137 Middlesex st., Lowell. They are now of age to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of December, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause why the same may not be granted. And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days, in due time, at his usual place of business, during the same time, in each of the three weeks, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, the last publication to be out, at least, before said date.

Witness, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Ols Graw, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Charles Ols Graw, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Witness, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

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MONDAY EVENING

## THE LOWELL SUN

DECEMBER 4, 1911

## TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

## SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston	From Boston	To Boston	From Boston
Low. 4 P.M.	Low. 4 P.M.	Low. 4 P.M.	Low. 4 P.M.
6:25 7:41	6:14 8:27	6:08 9:10	5:24 10:34
6:44 7:58	6:43 8:51	10:10 11:19	10:54 11:54
7:00 8:00	0:00 9:07	12:03 11:10	2:12 3:56
7:21 8:09	6:58 8:00	12:03 11:10	2:12 3:56
7:31 8:38	12:30 12:55	6:37 6:25	6:14 6:10
8:52 9:38	1:03 1:37	7:00 8:00	6:03 7:04
9:23 10:23	2:00 2:24	10:08 11:12	6:35 7:48
9:45 10:28	3:00 3:32		9:59 10:58
10:05 11:12	3:20 3:45		
12:18 1:00	6:44 6:57		
1:47 2:25	6:00 6:37		
2:34 3:27	15:21 6:26		
3:57 4:40	6:27 6:18		
4:58 5:28	15:21 6:26		
6:11 7:14	7:20 8:08		
6:17 7:00	8:30 8:08		
7:21 8:00	10:30 11:35		
9:46 10:39	11:17 12:18		

## WESTERN DIV.

## FUNERALS

Continued

Ville, Mass.; spray of carnations from Mrs. Joseph Teller and family; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Chetham; wreath of roses from Mr. James Withworth; wreath of chrysanthemums from Miss Eliza Greenleaf; spray of carnations from Mr. and Mrs. Michael Bloomfield; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hines; spray from Mrs. Wood and family; wreath of Galax leaves and roses from Mr. and Mrs. Michael German; wreath of chrysanthemums from Mrs. McKenzie and family; cross of roses and carnations from Miss Vina McDermott of Lawrence; cross of roses and carnations inscribed on base "L. S. S." from the Brewery Workers union; spray of white carnations from Mrs. Mary Callahan; standing wreath of roses, ferns and carnations inscribed on base "L. V. S. F." from the Firemen's Union, No. 14; wreath of roses from Mrs. Hennessy and Annie O'Hara; wreath of chrysanthemums from Mr. Thomas McSorley and family; wreath of roses and carnations from Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan and Mrs. John McNulty. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Farley, Michael Galvin, Thomas Sargent, John McCann, John McPadden and John Dean. There was a delegation from the Lowell Aero, No. 223, F. O. E., as follows: George Carey, Martin Duffy, Arthur Purcell and Patrick Cullen. There were many friends in attendance from Lawrence, Boston, Somerville and Phoenix, R. I. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the final absolution was given at the grave by Rev. Fr. Muldoon. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Edward M. Bowers, and interment was in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

## SUNDAY TRAINS

## References:

x Roads to Lowell  
Saturdays only.  
Lawrence  
Junction.

b Via Bedford,  
z Via Salem Jet.  
z Via Wilmington  
Junction.

## LOCAL NEWS

Political printing at Tobin's.  
Try Lawyer's for Printing, 29 Present.  
Charles E. Bourne, Edmund Desmarais and J. A. Gervais went to Sutton yesterday in the former's automobile.

Miss Amelie Robert of Chicago Falls is the guest of the Misses Gabrielle and Lucienne Turcotte of Fletcher street.

Miss Rosia Couture of 17 Dodge street left last night for Montreal where she is to enter the convent of the Sisters of Providence.

There will be an anniversary high mass of requiem Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock in St. Patrick's church for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Harriet Queenan.

Mr. Walling of Branch street and Mr. Brodie of Lawrence street are the two first local men to make the necessary score to qualify as sharpshooters under the rules of the United States Cavalry association.

A pretty gathering took place Sunday evening at the home of Mr. Brennen when a number of friends of Miss Anna Brennan gathered for an evening of pleasure. There were vocal and instrumental selections by the following: Ethel May Banner, James McDonald, Anna Brennan and Adrie Sheehan. A light luncheon was served and it was late when the guests departed.

## LADIES BRING

or send your muffs to the fur department at Colonial Store and have them lined with good quality satin, only 50c. All fur repairing done at equally low prices. Main floor. Near elevator.

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106-108 MERRIMACK ST.

Special  
Gents' 2 1-2 Karat Pure  
White, Perfect, Diamond Ring,  
fully guaranteed. Money given  
back cheerfully if not as repre-  
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price

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Frank Ricard's  
636-638 Merrimack Street.

## WESTERN DIV.

## CONTINUED

Ville, Mass.; spray of carnations from Mrs. Joseph Teller and family; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Chetham; wreath of roses from Mr. James Withworth; wreath of chrysanthemums from Miss Eliza Greenleaf; spray of carnations from Mr. and Mrs. Michael Bloomfield; spray from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hines; spray from Mrs. Wood and family; wreath of Galax leaves and roses from Mr. and Mrs. Michael German; wreath of chrysanthemums from Mrs. McKenzie and family; cross of roses and carnations from Miss Vina McDermott of Lawrence; cross of roses and carnations inscribed on base "L. S. S." from the Brewery Workers union; spray of white carnations from Mrs. Mary Callahan; standing wreath of roses, ferns and carnations inscribed on base "L. V. S. F." from the Firemen's Union, No. 14; wreath of roses from Mrs. Hennessy and Annie O'Hara; wreath of chrysanthemums from Mr. Thomas McSorley and family; wreath of roses and carnations from Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan and Mrs. John McNulty. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Farley, Michael Galvin, Thomas Sargent, John McCann, John McPadden and John Dean. There was a delegation from the Lowell Aero, No. 223, F. O. E., as follows: George Carey, Martin Duffy, Arthur Purcell and Patrick Cullen. There were many friends in attendance from Lawrence, Boston, Somerville and Phoenix, R. I. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the final absolution was given at the grave by Rev. Fr. Muldoon. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Edward M. Bowers, and interment was in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

## DEATHS

ST. LOUIS.—Arthur, infant son of Louis and Annie St. Louis, aged 6 months and 24 days, died today at the home of his parents, 24 Ward street.

## SHEEP WAR FEARED

People of Craig Are  
Greatly Alarmed

CRAIG, Colo., Dec. 4.—The people of Craig and its surrounding territory are aroused over the probabilities of another sheep war similar to that of 15 years ago when several men were killed and thousands of sheep destroyed. One hundred and ten sheep belonging to George Woolly, who owns a ranch near here were found today to have been slaughtered during the night. The heads of the animals had been beaten in by clubs. Woolly has been in Denver for the last two weeks, where he bought 3,000 sheep preparatory to shipping them to his ranch. The slaughter of last night is considered as a warning to other sheep men not to import sheep into Bear river valley, which territory consider their exclusive territory.

LADIES BRING

or send your muffs to the fur department at Colonial Store and have them lined with good quality satin, only 50c. All fur repairing done at equally low prices. Main floor. Near elevator.

## CAMPAIGN RETURNS

FEW MORE OF LOCAL INTEREST  
MADE PUBLIC

Among the campaign expenses recently published by the office of the secretary of state are the following: Amos P. Best, Democrat, senator, advertising, \$21; Odis L. Wright, Tyngsboro, representative, printing, \$16.50; postage, \$23.45; total, \$30.98.

Ernest B. Barlow campaign committee, Lowell; receipts, republican state committee, \$250. Payments: printing, \$20; advertising, \$18.20; total, \$168.20. Other campaign returns have been previously published.

## RING MAKING DEMONSTRATION

One of the most interesting exhibition ever seen in Lowell is the ring making demonstration still going on at the jewelry store of William H. Ford at 532 Merrimack street. Hundreds of pennyweights of gold are made into rings before the eyes of spectators and illustrates the large business Mr. Ford does in the manufacturing of rings.

So much interest was taken Friday and Saturday in this demonstration that the show window space could not accommodate only a small part of the crowd, and great many witnessed the work from the inside.

The public is at liberty to go inside the factory and view the making of rings from the molding and casting to the final finishing.

During the demonstration Saturday, an order of 36 wedding rings was made in the show window for a Boston house.

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